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Why ?
This Wicked World

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I am occasionally surprised at some of the letters which you allow to appear in your correspondence columns, but that appearing this morning over the signature Brenner Pass is either a piece of impertinence, or an example of characteristic naivete. The picture of the Teutonic ewe lamb surrounded by "five or six Powers with all their poison gases, warships, planes, death ray apparatuses, etc.," to prevent a small down-trodden country like Germany from obtaining justice and freedom should move the stoniest, most hypocritical crocodile to tears.

It is indeed a wicked world, sir, one which fails to realize that the ambitions of Herr Hitler are only for its good, and that when Germany had really achieved the place in the sun which she so devoutly seeks, the rest of the world will have all the benefits of the shade. Don't people realize that? Can't they understand the inestimable benefits which German technique is conferring upon General Franco in the most artistic slaughter that has been perpetrated in Spain during the last two years? Are they so stubborn as to refuse to believe that a German dominated world would be the nearest terrestrial approach to paradise?

Of course, it is true that Germany has mobilized a million-and-a-half men, but that is merely to give them a summer holiday in the open air. You know, the "strength through joy" movement, and the fact that they are fully equipped with all the material of war is only against the possibility of meeting some dangerous animal while on the march. Herr Hitler is not using that mobilization for the purpose of interfering in the Czecho-slovakian dispute. Oh no! He is merely wagging an admonitory finger at the Hottentots for not migrating to Lapland,—or something.

Split Lip.

Shanghai, Sept. 1.

Leaders at Fault

To the Editor of the
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Sir,—In today's issue of your paper there appears a short letter entitled "Why?" by Brenner Pass which attracted my notice and about which I wish to write a few lines.

With all due respect to the writer I wish to take the trouble of pointing out to him the absurdness in his paradoxical phraseology.

As a member of the international community of Shanghai I have heard a considerable amount of talk about Germany in local circles and hasten to assure Brenner Pass that the Powers with their gases, warships etc., are showing their might in order to impress—not the German people, but the leaders which have dragged them into the mire of public disrespect.

He calls these leaders "civilized"—leaders whose motto is "Blood and Iron".

He calls Germany a down-trodden country. Does he think of the down-trodden minorities in Germany itself? "Do unto others as you would that they should do unto you." Did Brenner Pass think of this when he wrote of Germany as a down-trodden civilized country.

That is why Germany is feared so much—because her leaders have been allowed to replace "Love thy neighbour as thyself" with a motto which is the opposite of everything tending towards love, peace and goodwill on earth.

Does Brenner Pass want the tyrannical six Powers with their warships, gas, etc., to stand by and let these men precipitate another bloody war in Europe?

I feel sure that many will agree with me that the Powers have been patient enough and that far from being tyrannical in so surrounding Germany at the present time they are the "civilized" party and are doing so for the peace and good, not only of the rest of mankind, but for that of the German people.

With the Powers.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

A Definition Wanted

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—In reply to Brenner Pass's query in your today's issue the writer is quite willing to furnish the answers required—his own time and your valuable space permitting—at an early date, provided Brenner Pass will oblige by first stating what, to his mind, constitute the criteria of the state commonly called "civilized," with reference to the individuals and countries (nations).

Clearing up this point seems essential, so as to avoid any misunderstandings arising out of the use of the same word, carrying, however, sometimes different meanings.

Anti-any-hypocrisy.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

Europe Not Scared

To the Editor of the
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Sir,—Europe is not scared of you, Brenner Pass, but she is concerned for peace and she realizes that you, like an objectionable child in the nursery who bullies the weaker children, are a disturber of that peace and she treats you as she would a naughty child—she spanks you and puts you in the corner until you promise to behave.

Austria has evidently gone to your head and the more toys you filch from the other children the more you want, like the spoiled child that you are; but Europe means business this time and to blub will not help you.

Spare the Rod and Spoil the Child.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

Too Much Knowledge :
Man Not Studied Enough

To the Editor of the
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Sir,—Let me as a university man thank you for your significant leader of this morning, "Too Much Knowledge," on the question of social consequences of a certain technical invention or discovery which Professor C. E. M. Joad of London University has considered. It is a question worth serious investigation and study aside from or in connection with the problem of peace. Any person who may endow a foundation for this study must be doing greater service to mankind than one who finances the work on a problem of technical invention or discovery.

The idea which Professor Joad submits for the cure of our dilemma in question, as you comment, is unsound. And it is not a new idea. Even granted that it is desirable, it cannot be applied. Obviously, the idea of disarmament "does not work;" the Pact of Paris—Kellogg-Briand Pact of Peace—"does not work." How can anybody expect that this Professor Joad's particular idea implying, even more effectually, international goodwill and co-operation will work throughout the world?

To work at the question, in my opinion, one must look back the record of mankind penetratingly, to see how, why and where the conquest of nature has been accomplished. I venture to assert that in the development of any nation on earth, little has been done toward the conquest of man himself and with rare exceptions nationals have not been conscious of the fact that man is a part of nature in the universe. There can be no denying, I venture to add also, that the science of man is still neglected (especially in the Far East) while that of nature is emphasized out of all proportion. Our solution does not lie in the path where the study of natural sciences should be limited as Professor Joad proposes, but in the realm where the study of social sciences must and can progress.

In this connection let me say that for a long time I have been wondering why Kant could not survive in Germany as a spirit and ideal in the development of civilization and culture. If he did, I sincerely believe, Germany would have been different from what we fear, hear and see, and there the adventure into the realm of social sciences should have been radiating. Kant has been and still, to a much less extent, is influential outside Germany. Why, however, has he been falling far behind Nietzsche, for instance, as a factor of education and religion in Germany?

J. Usang Ly.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

Papers Astray :
Owner's Friends Wanted

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I have in my possession due to the usual Asiatic inefficiency of a boy-san at the Tor Apartments, Kobe, shipping with a box of mine, a small leather suitcase, much battered containing private papers, business and personal, of a Mr. S. L. M. Jamaldeen who at one time had an address care of Lanka and Asia Jewellery Co., 55 Nanking Road.

Some of the people whose names I found are still listed as residing in Shanghai and I am wondering if they would care to take charge of the papers, as otherwise I shall have to destroy them, which I do not like to do until I have tried to turn them over to a friend of Mr. Jamaldeen.

Belle Trenholm

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

The Silly Season :
At its Silliest

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I am pleased that St. George did not feel too tired after his rest of centuries to once again take up his cudgels on behalf of righteousness and to crack the hoary chestnut. However, one point is still far from clear to me. How could the father (or the son or the grandfather) have any brothers or sisters when he had none? I am afraid that it would take more than a mirror, a photograph or even a crystal to explain that to a poor little, hot little

Bear.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

Hawkers :
In Chinese Gardens

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Now that times are approaching normality may we request the Police to pay a little attention to the hundreds of hawkers and their customers who crowd the district around the old Chinese Gardens between Chapoo and Szechuen Road Bridges?

Pedestrians, rickshaw-riders and car drivers find the utmost difficulty negotiating the surrounding roads, and unless something is done quickly, the near-by hospital will reap an unwanted harvest.

John the Taxpayer

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

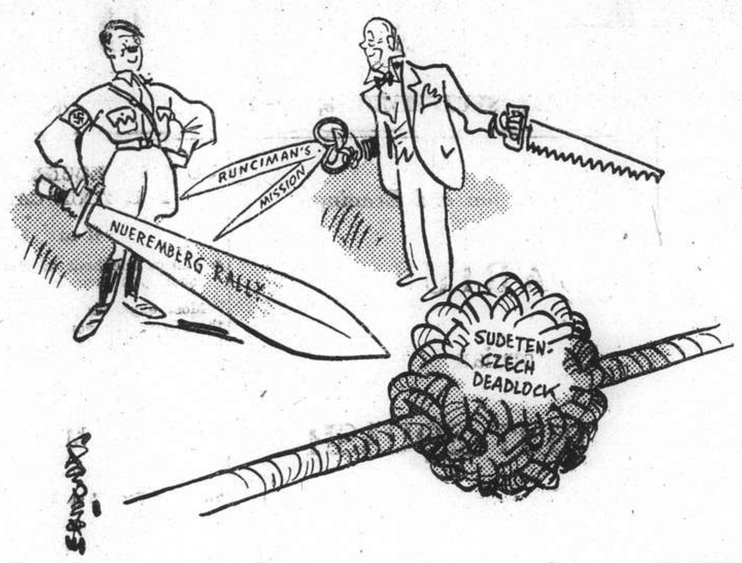
Sixty Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News," of September 3, 1878

Market Prices, Aug. 30, 1878:—

	Dollar	cents	per lb.
Beef		7— 9	,,
Mutton		12—16	,,
Veal		14	,,
Pork		14—20	,,
Codfish		6	,,
Mackerel		7	,,
Pomfret		8	,,
Shrimps		12	,,
Eggs		7— 8	per dozen
Chicken		13	,, Cty.
Geese		50—60	each
Turkeys	7		,,
Cabbage, foreign		2— 6	,,
Carrots		2	per lb.
Onions		3	,,
Indian Corn		5	per dozen
Potatoes	2		,, picul
Turnips		2	,, lb.
Cucumbers		2	,,
Radishes		1	per dozen
Tomatoes		4	,, lb.
English Coal Tls.	9.25		per ton
Australian ,, ,,	9		,,
Japan Coal Tls.	5.75		per ton
,, Anthracite ,,	8		,,
Keelung	5.50		,,
Anthracite	10		,,
Charcoal No. 1	$1.20		per picul
Firewood	45		,,

Those were the good old days.—Ed.



Who'll Cut The Gordian Knot ?

BY SAPAJOU

CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—September 4.—12th Sunday after Trinity.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 65. Lessons: 2 Kings 18, 13-37; Luke 4, 1-15. Parry in D. Hymns: 36, 546. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th. (Mattins and Holy Communion will be broadcast from Cathedral over Station XMHD, 760 kc., 394.6m). Holy Communion 11.45 a.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 64. Lessons: 2 Kings 19, 1-37; Matthew 18, 15-35. Hymns: 31 301, 270. Preacher: Rev. F. W. Weaver, L. Th. Bubbling Well Chapel: 6 p.m. Preacher: The Dean.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Evening Prayer in English at 6 o'clock Preacher: Rt. Rev. W. P. Roberts.

Union Church.—(International and Inter-denominational, 107 Soochow Road (near the British Consulate-General). —Officiating Minister: Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—10.45, Morning Worship, followed by the monthly Communion Service. Preacher, the Rev. A. M. Chirgwin, ½.C., general secretary of the London Missionary Society.

Church of the Air Programme
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Sunday 10.30 Cathedral service
8.00: XMHD Gospel Singers.
8.30: Gospel Service. (Rev. V. Dawson of Tientsin.)
9.00: Russian Service and Music.
Weekdays:
12.40: News Items. N.C.D.N.
1.00: Devotional Service and Song.
5.00: Classical and Sacred Music.
8.00: Classical and Popular Music
8.30: Gospel Service and Music.
9.00: To be announced.
Noonday speakers: Rev. Lowry Davis, Rev. A. E. Small, Rev. G. A. Jacobson, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Miss E Jth Spurling and C.I.M. Friends.

Fourth Marines Church.—The United States Fourth Marines will hold another of their church service and concert programmes in the Grand Theatre on Sunday morning. Chaplain R. R. Marken, of the Fourth Marines, will conduct the worship and deliver the morning sermon on "The Greatest Game In The World." Private First Class M. W. Potter of the Marine Band renders a saxaphone solo "Softly and Tenderly" by Thompson. The vocal soloist in the service is Mr. H. H. Cameron, who sings "The Ninety and Nine" by Campion, with band accompaniment. Among the selections played by the band in the service is the prelude "Coeur Brise" by Gillet and for the Offertory Arensky's "Spring Morning." Sergeant Sheehan leads the singing of the hymns with the band furnishing the accompaniment. In the concert which follows the service the Fourth Marines' Band conducted by Staff Sergeant William R. Stuart, renders a programme of concert selections. Opening the programme the band renders "Suppe's overture 'Poet and Peasant," continuing with the waltz "Southern Roses" by Strauss and Bizet's "Carmen." The Fourth Marines' Drum and Trumpet Corps combine with the Band to render "With Trumpet and Drum" by Weldon. As a fitting finale the band plays the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem. A cordial invitation is extended the citizens of Shanghai of all nationalities to attend both the church service and concert. The entire programme is broadcast over radio station XMHC, commencing at 10.00 a.m.

Church of Christ the King. 235 Rue Bourgeat. Month of Sept. on Sundays. Massess at 6 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. Benediction at 7 p.m., on Weekdays Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m., on First Friday. Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 7 p.m.

Saint Josph's Church (Rue Montauban). Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Sacred Heart Church (260 Nanzing Road).—Sunday: Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 5 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail). Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (35 Tatung Road). Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Mass at 6.15 a.m.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road). Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (734 Kiaochow Road). Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International).—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services are held in: German; on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m. on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 5-6 p.m. English: on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sunday Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10-11.30 a.m. on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m. on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30 to 7 p.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. September 4, Subject. "Man." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at "The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. The pastor, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock Ph. D., will preside. Mid-week Prayer-meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in Room 305, of the Missions Building, 169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road. All cordially welcome.

Community Church.—Rev. John P. Minter will preach on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on the theme, "Taking Second Place." Miss Butler will be at the organ. The summer session of the Church School will end on Sunday morning with a promotion service and programme for those who have attended during the summer months. There will be no classes on September 11, but the fall session will begin on September 18 at the usual time, 9.30 in the morning for all departments. There will be no Sunday night service at the Navy Y.M.C.A. on Sunday evening. The Governing Board will hod its regular monthly meeting on Monday noon at 12.15 in the private dining room of the Foreign Y.M.C.A. The Camp Fire Girls are not meeting on Tuesday, as usual, but will gather on Saturday morning at nine in the Oliver home. The Cubs and Boy Scouts are planning their Fall activities. Choir rehearsals will be resumed beginning Tuesday, September 6, at 8.15 p.m. Members of the choir, and any who are interested in becoming members, are asked to be present in the Church Parlour at that time.

Shanghai Free Christian Church: (Evangelical) 681 Hart Road. The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Mr. A. Allison. Evening at 6 by Mr. J. H. Kane. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. Men's Bible Class at 7.45 p.m.

"The Hut." 495 Yu Yuen Road. Children's Service, 9 a.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher, Mr. J. A. Eggo.

Italian Cabinet Seeks to Increase Birth Rate
Banishment of Jews Affects Between 9,000 to 10,000

Rome, Sept. 2.

As a move to increase the birth rate in Italy, the Cabinet has decided that all State employees must marry if they desire promotion.

It has also decided that women can only occupy ten per cent. of available State jobs.

Between 9,000 and 10,000 persons are estimated to have been affected by the section of a recent decree banishing all foreign Jews who took up residence after January 1, 1919.

These are mostly professional men, brokers, hotel-keepers and merchants.

Italian East Africa is not mentioned in the decree, but there is no reason to suppose that those leaving are allowed to settle there.

The question of taking capital out of the country will presumably be the subject of a further provision.—Reuter.

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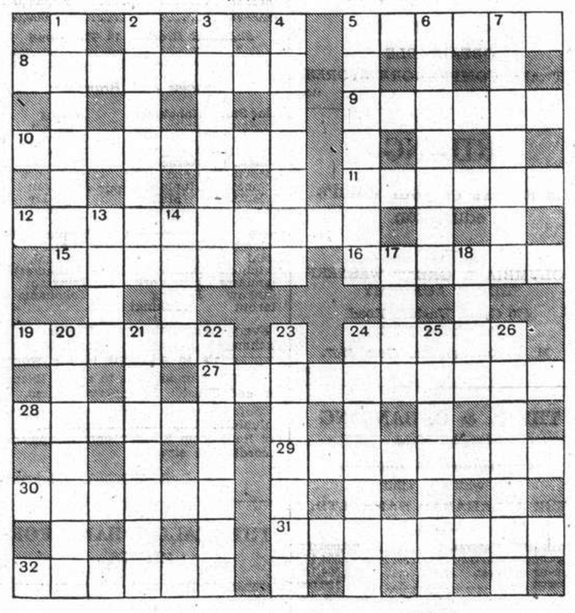

ACROSS

5 On farms they are raised, but still low
8 This kind of criminal leads an "in and out" existence
9 The men who start it are unfriendly, but no harm may come of it
10 Food for only half 5 across (two words)
11 Full of wrath
12 Something for dressing, of plant and animal origin apparently
15 A vassal, possibly
16 This word will have this you if you don't get it
19 The craftsman to waste time?
24 It takes a long time to put an end to this saying
27 It would be easy to feed this kind of animal
28 Is the educational groundwork good here?
29 The sort of face the poker player keeps when he gets it
30 A troublesome lady known to soldiers in part of Spain
31 Building operation
32 How to free a bottle-neck

DOWN

1 One wants a sunny day for the opening of this
2 Epithet for Esau would make a sure hit
3 Lake, or fodder
4 This fighting body is too apparent in the design
5 Assemble
6 This is seldom seen on a car nowadays
7 What the professor gave the pupil for not attending it
13 This makes a thing plumb wrong
14 Moulding an American exclamation
17 Wherein there are many contermoves
18 This foreigner might become a god
20 Suitable recognition of skilful eggtrick?
21 A blow that may give trouble, but not unbroken trouble
22 A fossil bird useful to boatmen
23 And I perceive within the flavouring
24 State colour as stated
25 His progress is by stages
26 Pleasure for the ear

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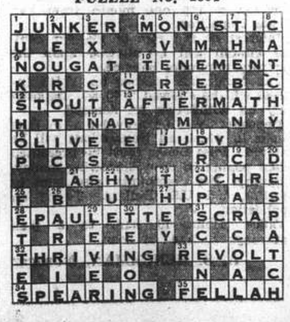

Soviet-Japanese Border Talks Progressing
Gaimusho Says Favourable Developments Noted

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Conversations between M. Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Foreign Commissar, and Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, Japanese Ambassador in Moscow, for the creation of a border demarcation commission to determine the frontier between Manchoukuo and the Soviet Union, were making progress, a Foreign Office spokesman said today.

Discussed at these meetings between the Japanese envoy and the Soviet official, the spokesman said, were the questions concerning the organization of a commission as well as the data to be submitted to the body.

Two Soviet delegates, one Manchoukuoan and one Japanese would form the commission, the spokesman stated.—Domei.

Newspapermen in Chungking on Thursday held a celebration to mark Journalists' Day. Dr. T. T. Li, Chief of the Intelligence Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Chen Ping-po, who represented the Director of the Central Publicity Department of the Kuomintang, and Mr. Chow Fu-hai, gave the principal addresses at the meeting.

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STOCKING THE WINE CELLAR

The advice: "Take a little wine for thy stomach's sake" is based upon a profound knowledge of man's needs and wine's possibilities, but the injunction "little" might be observed with advantage. It will be noted, however, that though the prophet cautions "little," he refrains from advising how "often" the flagon should go to the lips. Those contemplating the replenishment of stocks of wines for future or present use will find help in the advertisements on this page.

Wines of France

It may be safely said that there is no other country in which the general conditions are so favourable for the production of wine of high quality and on a large scale as is the case in France. The climate is essentially of a moderate character; the winters are rarely very cold, and the summers are seldom of the intensely hot and dry nature which is characteristic of most southerly wine countries. There are large tracts of gently undulating or relatively flat country which is, inasmuch as it ensures effective exposal of the vines to the sun, of a type particularly suited to viticulture.

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Good Mixers

Mint Julep

4 sprigs fresh mint
½ tablespoon fine sugar
1 glass of your favourite whiskey

Crush mint leaves and sugar, add the spirit, fill the glass with cracked ice, decorate the top with sprigs of mint dipped in powdered sugar, serve, and smile.

Egg Nogg

1 teaspoon sugar
1 whole egg
Cracked ice
1 sherry glass of good brandy
Enough milk to fill a tumbler

Shake the above ingredients well and strain into a highball glass with nutmeg on top. Be sure to put in ice before adding milk to prevent curdling.

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Small Holdings

The thrifty and methodical habits of the French peasantry, and also the system of small holdings which prevails in France, have, there is little doubt, done much to raise the French wine industry to the pre-eminent position which it holds. There is perhaps no branch of agriculture which requires more minute attention or for which a system of small holdings is more suitable than wine culture.

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Good Mixers

Simple Miss

1 glass French Vermouth
1 glass Italian Vermouth
Few drops of lemon
Water in proportion

Shake well with ice and serve in cocktail glass with piece of lemon.

Merry Widow

Half French Vermouth
Half Dubonnet

Stir, and serve with confidence.

Innocence Abroad

1 glass grapefruit juice.
1 glass French Vermouth
1 glass Italian Vermouth
1 glass gin

Shake well with cracked ice and serve in cocktail glass.

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Wines of Spain

The wines of Spain may be regarded as second in importance to those of France. Although the quantity produced is not so large as in Italy, the quality on the whole is decidedly superior to that of the latter country. There are three main types of wine with which consumers in the United Kingdom are familiar, namely Sherry, Tarragona, and wines of the claret type.

The most important wine produced in Andalusia, the chief vine-growing district of Spain is known to English-speaking people as sherry, so called from the town of Jerez de la Frontera which is the centre of the industry.

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Good Mixers

Singapore Sling

Juice of quarter lemon or fresh lime
One-third glass gin
Two-thirds glass cherry brandy

Shake well with cracked ice, pour into highball glass, and fill with soda water. This should be taken with caution as to numbers, since startling results have been known.

Brandy Punch

Juice of 15 lemons
Juice of 4 oranges
1 pound sugar
½ pint Curacao
1 glass grenadine
2 quarts Cognac

Place a quantity of ice in the punch bowl and add the above ingredients with as much water as your guests care for—a quart is recommended. Stir, smile, and the guests will smile with you.

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Wines of Germany

Although the quantity of wine produced in Germany is comparatively small and subject to great variations, the quality of the finer wines is, in successful years, of a very high order. In fact Germany is the only country which produces natural (i.e. unfortified) wines of so high a class as to be comparable with—though of an entirely different character from—the wines of France. The finer wines possess great breed and distinction coupled with a very fine and pronounced bouquet and in addition are endowed with the rare quality of stability.

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Good Mixers

Winter Warmer

1 bottle red table wine
2 sticks cinnamon
Spices to taste
1 cup raisins
1 ounce almonds
2 lumps of sugar (burnt)

Heat the wine in a saucepan on the stove, add almonds and raisins, spices and the sugar as it is burning. Serve hot, and on a cold winter day this is delicious.

Ginger Highball

1 wineglass whiskey
2 cubes ice
1 wineglass ginger ale
lemon peel

Stir all together, then sit back and watch the clouds of depression roll by.

Morning After

Juice of half lemon
1 egg white
Teaspoon fine sugar
Dash of Anisette
Wineglass of whiskey
Ice and water if liked

Frappé, and feel better.

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Temperature

The temperature at which a wine is served is of great importance.

White wines should be served cold and should be subjected to a fairly low temperature in order to develop the aroma, but care should be taken to avoid leaving them too long on ice as they must not be cooled in the same degree as champagnes, otherwise they lose half their value.

Once the red wines are decanted, and some hours before serving, it is necessary to bring them to the pantry—if the temperature is sufficient—or to the dining room in order that the wine may acquire the temperature at which it will taste to its best advantage. But if the rooms are too warm—as is sometimes the case in summer—it is necessary to keep the wine cool. Under no circumstances should wines be heated, that is to say placed near a fire or plunged into hot water.

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Good Mixers

Wine Punch

1 quart Haut Sauternes
1 pint lemonade mineral water
2 ounces lemon juice
2 ounces Cognac
1 ounce Orange Curacao
1 ounce Benedictine

Pour the above over a large piece of ice in a punch bowl. Add half an orange and half a lemon sliced thinly, and a small bottle of Maraschino cherries. Finally add a bunch of fresh green mint sprinkled with powdered sugar.

Merry Fizz

Juice of half a lemon
1 teaspoon fine sugar
Wineglass of gin
White of one egg

Shake well, strain into a highball glass, and fill up with soda water.

Yellow Fizz

Juice of half a lemon
1 teaspoon sugar
Wineglass of gin
Yolk of one egg

Shake well, strain into a highball glass, and fill up with soda water.

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Wine and Health

Wine is a natural product of the soil, and is nourishing, comforting, and wholesome but, like all other "intake" it should be consumed with moderation while there is a definite ruling among civilized people as to when, and with what accompaniments it should be taken.

Wines, even with the cheapest, deserve treating with care yet, with the absence of underground cellars in Shanghai, the keeping of wines is more difficult than in the home countries. He who takes certain precautions in handling his wines, however, will be pleased to notice that his efforts have not been made in vain. Wines, in general, and more particularly the old wines need a good rest before being served (and not too much exertion after having been taken) so that it is a mistake to buy them at the last moment.

The principal reason against the transportation of wines at the last minute is that sediment is likely to be present so that a small provision of wines should be kept in the store room in a horizontal position.

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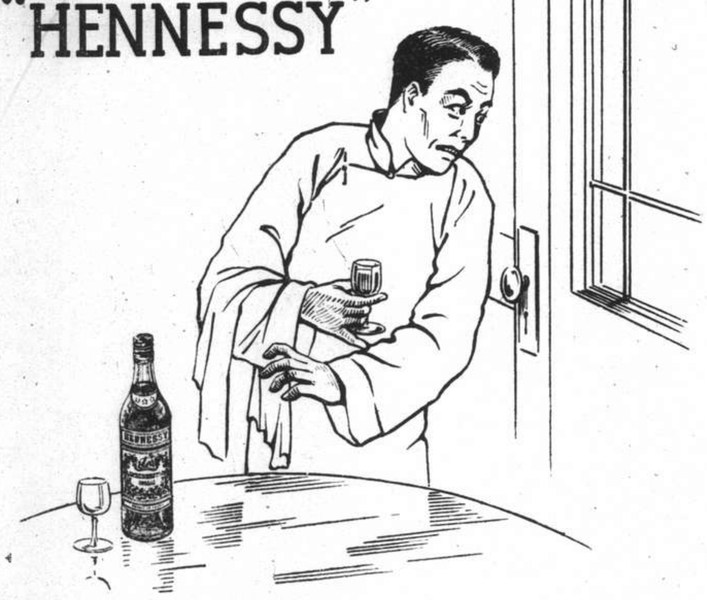

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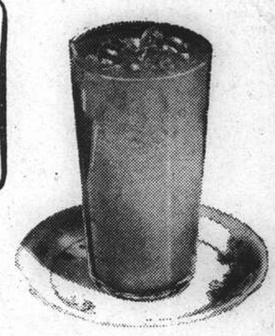

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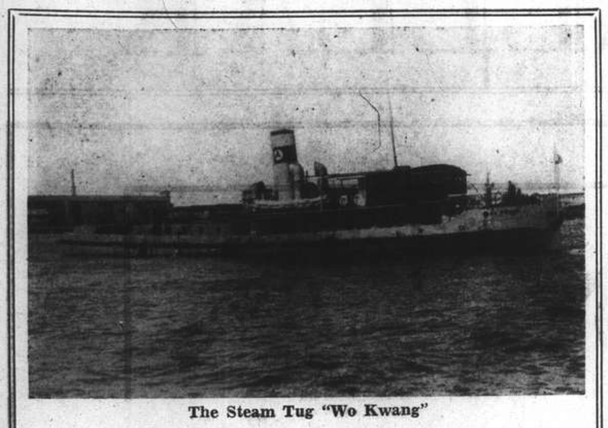

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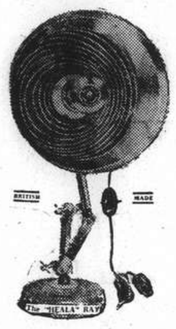

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SEXTON—KLOPFER.—The engagement is announced of RALPH E. SEXTON son of Mr. and Mrs. Sexton of Kankekee, Illinois and HELEN KLOPFER, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. N. Klopfer of Shanghai. -2460

MARRIAGES

CHIERI—ETHEREDGE.—On August 1, at Saluda (South Carolina) Dr. ING. PERICLE ADRIANO CHIERI, son of Dr. and Mrs. V. Chieri of Shanghai, to Miss HELEN ETHEREDGE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Etheredge of Saluda. -2441

TYLER—RIDDIHOUGH.—On September 2, 1938, at H.B.M. Consulate-General, before Mr. S. G. Beare, EUNICE, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Riddihough of Wakefield, Yorks, to REGINALD CHARLES, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tyler of London. -2406

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SPANISH BOMBINGS

On the face of the document it would not appear that the report of the British Commission of Investigation into certain air-bombings in Spain has added much to the information already available on the subject. The Commission inquired into forty-six raids on Alicante, at the request of the Spanish Government. Of the full total the commission paid special attention to six of them and found that, of these, two were deliberate attacks on the civilian area of the city, one was an attack on the main railway Station, and one was either a deliberate attack on a civilian area, or a badly aimed attack on the port and marine station. A fifth, though probably directed against the port area, was deflected by anti-aircraft fire, while the sixth seems to have been properly conducted. Alicante, the report declared, contained no munition factories, and practically no troops or war materials. The raid, of August 18, on Barcelona, the Commission found to be either a deliberate attack on a civilian area or a very badly aimed attack at the port area by an unskilled squadron, the raid on Sitges, of August 8, if the railway were aimed at could have been as effectively carried out elsewhere than where it was without endangering the civilian population, while that on Torrevieja on August 25, was a deliberate attack on defenceless civilians carried out in good weather and at a low altitude. By inference the 41 cases not covered in the cabled résumé of the report may be accepted as having been properly carried out, and to have been launched against purely military objectives. It must be remembered that the findings of the Commission are, by reason of the way in which the inquiries were conducted, *ex parte*, for in the circumstances, the Nationalist not producing evidence on their side, the only testimony available was that presented by the Spanish Government. The report only deals with a very small fraction of the total number of air-raids carried out during the twenty-six months of the Spanish civil war, and is, therefore, entirely inconclusive on the major subject of the general bombing policy of the rebels.

The probability is that, if a full investigation could be conducted into all the air-raids, a much larger proportion of those directed purely against civilians would be discovered, but the fact that any at all have been found to come under that heading, must be taken as proof that the policy of terrorism from the air for the purpose of demoralizing civilians has found acceptance in Spain, though perhaps not so widely as it was at first feared. Generally speaking the use of the air arm for the purpose of breaking down the morale of non-combatant populations behind the fighting lines has found such acceptance during these past two years, in Spain as elsewhere, that it is evident that the time has come when the whole question should be the subject of international consultation. Military tendencies of today are such that it has been cynically remarked that the chief anxiety of the men fighting at the front will be regarding the safety of their relatives behind the lines, and, unless something is done to improve conditions, that cynicism will ultimately be found to be nothing but the simple truth. On the question of whether it is possible to arrive at some convention whereby this can be prevented there must be a wide variance of opinion. It is all very well to devise rules for the conduct of prize-fighting, but in a street brawl a man, faithfully adhering to such conventions, would find himself at a sad disadvantage. The analogy can be applied to nations in a bitter struggle for victory and perhaps national existence. The Great War, for example saw the introduction of methods of fighting contrary to all the ideas of propriety which had prevailed up to then, and one of the chief difficulties with which the nations have to contend is that with the establishment of conventions there are always the danger that some one or other will seek to secure the advantage which a sudden breach may carry with it.

At the present moment there are definitions of what may be bombed and what may not, but it has been pointed out, that the exceptions are so widely drawn, that it is difficult to ascertain where the rules apply and where they do not. Ports, towns through which railways pass, those in which munitions factories are situated—and munitions factories are to be taken to include those which tailor uniforms for soldiers just as much as those which supply him with weapons—cities through which troops pass or may be passing, go to swell a list which seems to leave only isolated houses very far apart as the only improper targets for aerial bombing. An ideal of course would be to devise a convention forbidding the use of military aeroplanes against any part of an enemy country more than a certain number of miles behind the front. But then it is possible to think of a war in which there is no real front, one for example in which Britain may be engaged in a war in Europe without having landed troops on the Continent. The counsel of perfection would be completely to abandon the use of aeroplanes in war, but it is of such perfection, that imperfect humanity can be depended upon never to accept it. Consequently the outlook is depressing, or rather would be if it were not for one fact. It has been proved both in Spain and in China that the bombing of civilian populations for the admitted purpose of demoralizing resistance is not effective. It may create a very transient dismay, but, once that temporary emotion passes, it is replaced by a savage determination to carry on. That has been shown to be the case, for example in cities like Canton and Madrid, and the one real hope is that eventually it will be borne into the brains of the idolisers of the aeroplane as the supreme weapon of war, that in certain cases its high efficiency militates against the effects it is sought to obtain. It is a poor thought that mankind is not completely able to legislate for the control of conduct during a war, but there is comfort in the knowledge that in the human make-up there are qualities which refuse to be daunted even by the most terrible of inflictions.

Tatsienshan

The success which the Chinese are reported to have gained at Tatsienshan, south of Kiukiang, is indicative of the soundness of the forecast made some time ago that in the mountain system which the Japanese would have to encounter in their advance on Hankow the Chinese would find terrain which they would be better able to defend than the plains of central China. There is, however, a tendency to magnify Chinese achievements in this respect, as will be remembered was the case of the victory at Taierchwang near Hsuchowfu. The success there was hailed with an enthusiasm wholly out of proportion to the size of the reverse inflicted on the Japanese, and as this journal pointed out at the time it was not likely to have any permanent effect upon the defence of the railway junction. It is necessary that this latest reverse inflicted on the Japanese at Tatsienshan should also be reduced to its proper perspective. Even if it were bigger than it is the Chinese are in no position to follow it up. Indeed it would be foolish for them to endeavour to do so, for they are fighting a purely defensive action,—about all they are at present able to do,—and to relinquish the advantages afforded them by the mountainous country by chasing the enemy into the plains would simply be playing the Japanese game. All that the Chinese can hope to do is to offer such resistance to the invaders that every foot of the soil they gain is bought expensively, and, like Taierchwang, Tatsienshan must be regarded as an addition to the bill rather than the opening of a new account. All manner of estimates are being made as to when Hankow will fall to the Japanese, but, if the Chinese continue to offer the resistance they appear to be doing at the moment, most of them will probably prove to be wrong. Of the moral effect of such successes upon the Chinese there cannot be the slightest doubt, but they have the danger of arousing too great expectations, something which should be guarded against.

U.S. Atlantic Squadron

Although Washington's official explanation is that it is merely a preliminary to next year's manœuvres bearing on the defence of the Panama Canal, it is difficult to avoid the conclusion that the Navy Department's order for an immediate fleet concentration in the Atlantic is connected with developments in Europe. And as such it shows the United States playing the new role which recent events, supported by official pronouncements, have moulded for her. The United States is more interested and involved in European and world affairs than the isolationists would have everybody believe, and it did not need the utterances of American statesmen to explain that this was the direction in which her membership of the family of nations, and one of the most powerful of them all, was forcing her. Since the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, the bulk of the American Fleet has been concentrated in Pacific waters but the announcement of the Atlantic sphere of next spring's manœuvres was a significant indication of orientation in defence plans, while President Roosevelt's speech at Kingston, in which he declared the United States would assist Canada if the Dominion were attacked, furnished confirmation. The fleet being sent to the Atlantic is known as Cruiser Division Eight and comprises seven 10,000 ton cruisers and destroyers in command of Rear-Admiral Forde Anderson Todd, and all are practically new vessels completed at Atlantic shipyards, which illustrates the promptitude with which the Naval authorities have executed the decision to provide this squadron for temporary duty.

The War Horse

Daily the war horse, which dragged the guns into action and carried the troopers in cavalry charges, is losing favour. Mechanization has developed so extensively in modern armies that there is hardly a thing which the horse can do which the petrol-driven machine cannot. In fact, in many respects the mechanized unit is far superior and is capable of performances denied to the horse. So completely independent of animal assistance are the new mobile forces becoming that, while for the sake of traditional nomenclature various terms are retained, a photograph in this journal of recent tank manœuvres on Salisbury Plain showed not only larged armoured tanks but smaller ones designated as "officers' mounts." The day of the horse's utility in warfare is fast drawing to a close but it is incorrect to assume that it has passed. There are still uses for the horse on various terrain and in conditions which do not favour the mechanical steed. In England, they are still being retained for particular purposes but Japan, after an experience of hostilities in China where both animal and mechanized traction is being used, is embarking on a large horse-breeding programme because the former policy pursued since the Russo-Japanese war has been found to be wrong and the China incident has shown that strong well-trained horses are infinitely better for work in mountainous, swampy or desert country than mechanized vehicles which get bogged or cannot traverse the narrow paths. According to a Japanese newspaper, Japan was taught a bitter lesson in the Russo-Japanese war when there were 1,500,000 horses available for army purposes but the breed was so inferior that the animals could not stand the strain. A 30-years' improvement plan was introduced to improve the breed and on the outbreak of hostilities in China excellent results had been achieved in breed but the number was inadequate and drastic revision of the plan became necessary. Now, Japan proposes to maintain 1,000,000 horses of military age, said to be between five to 17 years, and subsidies to breeders and other measures—even to the abandonment of racehorse breeding—are contemplated in the new policy. Perhaps unrelated to this policy but of interest has been the change in Japanese army horses in Shanghai. The first animals seen on Chinese soil were of suprisingly poor quality, many apparently fit only for the knacker's yard rather than active service, but recent months have witnessed a greatly improved class, well-groomed and well-fed, which may add point to the Japanese army's contention, as mentioned in the report, that "infantry soldiers and horses thus remain the basic elements in any efficient army."

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"No, sir, I am a shoemaker," replied the little man.

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Strict Curfew

WHEN Dulcie Tibbenham, a 17-year-old domestic servant, was placed on probation for a year, in Suffolk, for stealing a £1 note, she was ordered not to go to a cinema for six months.

She was also told to be indoors by 9 p.m. in summer, and by 8 p.m. in winter.

Seems like Dulcie will have spare time in which to consider her crime.

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The Violet

"THE teacher was explaining the difference between the stately rose and the modest violet.

"You see, children," she said, "a beautiful, well-dressed woman walks along the street, but she is proud, and does not greet anybody—that is the rose. But behind her comes a small creature with bowed head—."

"Yes, miss, I know," Tommy interrupted. "That's her husband."

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Senator Soaper Says—

WHAT ever became of balances, in the old-time government skit, "Checks and Balances?"

AFTER the new party is organized, with dynamic leaders and an ax to grind, comes the solemn ceremony of naming it non-partisan.

The 24th anniversary of the beginning of the world war was observed lately without cheers. How did that ever come out?

Statues in Spanish public places have been conspicuous sufferers in the bombing. It is an argument for war, of course, but the only one.

A swan, crossing a teeming New York thoroughfare, barely escaped with its life. Of all places, this would seem the likeliest for practicing that song.

As a war measure, hard-presed Nippon is cutting the length of all matches a fraction of an inch. Enough remains, though, to set Asia on fire.

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Society News

THE he-man editor of the Bisbee "Brewery Gulch Gazette" rolls up his sleeves and shows effete Easterners how Society News really ought to be written:

Last week's paramount social item was the tea tendered to Miss Norma Johnson by her prospective bridesmaid, Miss Barbara Reavis. This *dernier cri* or *piece de resistance*, as the case may be, of the local Junior League season was held in honour of Miss Johnson's coming induction into holy matrimonity with Lewis A. (Lew) Smith, who makes his home at Morenci at such times as which he is not playing hooky to spark his fiancée at her domicile in this old mining camp.

The nuptials will be solemnized at the Little Episcopal Church-Up-Opera-Drive on the afternoon of May 28 and the Pekoe party above mentioned was a gesture of goodwill and felicitude on the part of Miss Johnson's multifarious and hotsy-tot-sical wampicular associates in lieu of the sentimental holocaust, if that means what I think it does. As the ruckus was confined to members of the contrary sex, I will have to confine my depictions to the slants of the lady secretary of the Gulch Y.W.C.A. who claims that everything was very *de rigeur* and *fin de siecle* indeed, even if eleven snorts of the tea dished out to her at the shindig failed to knock her hat off.

The guests, upon entering, were each presented with a card decorated with a nosegay. You will have to figure this amenity out for yourselves, as we of the Gulch are far more familiar with gay noses than with nosegays and we wish it understood that these two commodities or accessories are by no means one and the same thing. Mesdames Souers and Shattuck juggled the tea balls and many petals of the Yucca Club brought back their cups for a second helping.

The room was attractively lighted by the more luminous of Bisbee's redheads, of which Miss Johnson is one. And it is reported that the femininious garbiture was so uniformly seductory that it left no opening for feline remarks. Miss Johnson announced that she wants a mood of carefree jocosity to dominate the wedding ceremony and that if she catches anyone turning on the weeps, she will let fly smack at the breezer of the first offender with the bridal bouquet, in which there will be concealed a sturdy cabbage for this purpose.

I have already been engaged to sing "Oh, Promise Me" as incidental music to the parson's comments, with "Mamma, That Moon Is Here Again" as an encore—if the assembled entourage will stand for one.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	76.0	Max.	91.5
Same date, 1937	Min.	79.0	Max.	96.0

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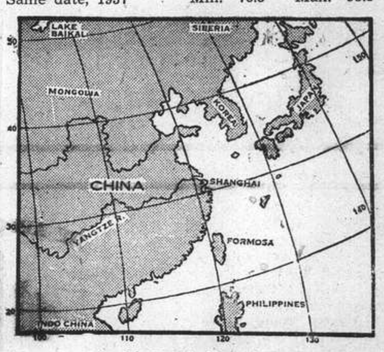
Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	75.2	Max.	92.7
Same date, 1937	Min.	76.8	Max.	98.1



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 1st:—Pressures normal in China. The typhoon passes very near but to the west of Tokyo, continuing northward. The other one crosses the Marianas west-north-westward. Variable winds along the Coast and at sea. Fine to cloudy weather in China. Some rains in the morning in the Peking region.

State on the morning of the 2nd:—Anticyclone over Mongolia and northern China. Normal pressures in the south. The typhoon over Yezo is continuing north-north-eastward: the other one, to the west-north-west of the Marianas, west-north-westward.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—The typhoon to the west-north-west of the Marianas is advancing west-north-west or north-westward. Fine to cloudy weather with variable breezes around Shantung: southerly around Formosa and over the Eastern Sea. Thundery over our regions.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Sudeten Leader Brings Message to Fuehrer

Berchtesgaden Visit Made at Lord Runciman's Request; Hopes Rise for Favourable Outcome; Fresh Incidents Heightening Czech Tension

London, Sept. 2.

OFFICIALLY reported to be visiting Herr Adolf Hitler at the express request of Lord Runciman, Herr Konrad Henlein, Leader of the Sudeten German Party, arrived at Berchtesgaden by car yesterday afternoon, according to reports from Berlin. Herr Henlein drove straight to the Fuehrer's house, where he was said to have attended a three-hour conference with Herr Hitler, Field Marshal Hermann Goering, and Herr Rudolph Hess.

The meeting at Berchtesgaden has encouraged hope in diplomatic circles that the dispute may be taking a turn towards a settlement. Lord Runciman, it is understood from Prague, sent a special message to Herr Hitler through Herr Henlein, in which he stressed the need for continuing peaceful negotiations. It is believed that this message, coming on the eve of the Nuremburg Conference, may have a favourable effect on the situation.

Conference Begins At Berchtesgaden

Herr von Ribbentrop Attending Momentous Hitler-Henlein Talks

Prague, Sept. 2.

The centre of gravity in the Czech situation shifted to Berchtesgaden today, where Herr Adolf Hitler and Herr Konrad Henlein, the leader of the Sudeten Germans, who arrived here yesterday by car from Prague, began their momentous talk shortly before noon in the presence of Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister.

The start of the conversation was delayed for 80 minutes because of the late arrival of Herr von Ribbentrop's train.

Lord Runciman's Message

Following Lord Runciman's instructions, Herr Henlein informed the Fuehrer about the recent negotiations with the Prague Government, according to a German news agency report from Berchtesgaden.

"Herr Hitler," the report added, "listened to the explanations with interest, and agreed with Herr Henlein's views on the present situation."

The Sudeten leader left the Fuehrer after lunch.

The meeting lasted some hours.

This is regarded as encouraging and, coupled with the news of Herr Hitler's agreement with Herr Henlein's views, gives the situation a more favourable aspect.

It appears that when Herr Henlein first visited Herr Hitler's residence, he did not attend the consultations between the Fuehrer, Field-Marshal Hermann Goering and Herr Rudolf Hess.

Sudetens Answer Czechs

Dr. Eduard Benes, the Czech President, today received Herr Ernst Kundt, representative of the Sudeten Party in Parliament, and Herr Sebedowsky.

Although nothing has transpired regarding the interview between Dr. Benes and the German delegates, it is believed that the latter pressed for guarantees that the Government would fulfil its pledges and insisted upon a short period of approximately three months for the full execution of the Government's seven-point programme.

It is now considered probable that Dr. Benes will make a proclamation on the Government's proposals tomorrow.

The Government's programme comprises seven points, granting German nationals a proportion of 35 per cent. of the administration. A loan is to be floated for public works, part of which will be used to modernize industrial undertakings in the Sudeten regions

A communique issued yesterday following a two-hour meeting of the Political Committee of the Sudeten German Party, declared that the Committee would "examine thoroughly the political situation," and had already "taken the necessary decision."

The communique added that the Committee had unanimously approved the attitude of the delegates in charge of the negotiations.

Sudeten Unity Stressed

Herr Karl Hermann Frank, Deputy Leader of the Sudeten Party, presided at the meeting of the Committee, which lasted for two hours.

Herr Frank, who is regarded as a radical, was chosen to preside to emphasize the complete unity of the Sudeten Party.

This decision, it is understood, was taken in view of alleged reports from abroad, which, it is said, attempted to draw a distinction between the moderate and radical elements.

Herr Henlein's departure for Berlin, it is considered, may delay developments in Prague, but well-informed circles point out that it need not exercise a prejudicial influence.

It was always obvious, they state, that Herr Henlein's supporters would not accept any settlement without the approval of Germany.

Hitherto, these circles add, the Sudetens have not varied their attitude of insistence upon the eight points made in Herr Henlein's speech at Carlsbad.—Reuter.

Plebiscite Plan Hinted

Berlin, Sept. 2.

According to well-informed circles here, the German Government is now devoting its efforts to obtain a plebiscite under international control in the Sudeten districts to allow Germans living in these districts to decide their own fate freely.

It is understood that Herr Hitler and Herr Konrad Henlein will discuss a plan to this effect today.

The German Government will probably endeavour to convince London and Paris that such a plebiscite would be the sole means of safeguarding peace in Europe.—Havas.

Czecho-German Trade

Prague, Sept. 1.

Economic parleys between Czechoslovakian and German delegations will be started here on October 15 after having been postponed from August 29. The negotiations were to have been begun at Berlin, but were put forward because the German group had too much other work at the time.—Havas.

While all Europe awaits in an atmosphere of tension and expectancy, the interview between Herr Hitler and Herr Henlein, a feeling is rife that the German-Czech situation has taken an unfavourable turn.

For one thing, despite strict precautions taken by the Czech authorities, further incidents have occurred in the Sudeten regions, pointing to an increase in local tension.

The official Czech agency admits that brawl occured near Freudenthal, involving Czech soldiers and Sudetens, but says it ended without serious consequences although it looked ugly at one time.

The Sudeten organ, "Die Zeit," was confiscated last night for the second time within 48 hours and the sixth time in a month. The offending paragraph dealt with the poverty of the Sudeten region of Eger and repeated the allegation that some people were eating cats and dogs. The censorship measures taken by the Czech authorities have caused great irritation among the Sudetens.

Herr Hitler's Decision Awaited

Czechoslovakia is at present eagerly awaiting the reply of the Sudeten Germans to the new proposals of Dr. Edouard Benes, President of Czechoslovakia.

The answer, which will be communicated to the President by Herr Karl Frank, Deputy-Leader of the Sudeten Party, and Herr Ernst Kundt, representative of the Sudeten Party in Parliament, is not expected to amount to a refusal, but whether the door to negotiations will remain open is said to depend entirely upon Herr Hitler's attitude.

Many people hope the Fuehrer himself will take the lead in European negotiations for a settlement of the Sudeten problem, but others fear that the influence of Dr. Joseph Goebbels, the German Minister of Propaganda, and Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister, will produce a stiffening reaction.

Should, however, Herr Hitler be strong enough to make his view prevail, it is thought in some circles conversant with the Fuehrer's views that Herr Henlein will be given moderating counsel.

Henlein's Real Peace Aim

Reports from Prague state that Lord Runciman has been "impressed by Herr Henlein's genuine desire for a peaceful settlement," and that his object in asking the Sudeten Leader to deliver a message at Berchtesgaden was to secure the support of Herr Hitler for the continuance of the negotiations.

Sir Nevile Henderson, British Ambassador in Berlin, it is understood, did not bring to the German capital any special message to the German Government.

It is, therefore, regarded as improbable that any important conversations will be held between him and Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, Reich Minister for Foreign Affairs, or his deputy until it is possible to pronounce on the Czech proposals.

This, it is understood, will necessitate mature study before a considered opinion can be given.

Public opinion in Germany, in the meantime, seems to be in a quieter and more receptive mood.—Reuter.

Lord Runciman's Strategy

London, Sept. 1.

Viscount Runciman, British "arbitrator" in the Czech-Sudeten dispute, has openly recognized that the Sudeten Germans have bonds with the Reich; his recognition of such a fact is seen in his initiative towards the holding of a Hitler-Henlein interview at Berchtesgaden today, politicians stressed this evening.

Viscount Runciman believed the Reichsfuehrer would officially recognize the bonds between the Sudetens and Germany in his awaited address at the Nuremberg Nazi Congress opening on September 5. He wished to forestall Herr Hitler in making public such recognition, it is said.

"Herr Hitler's stand is more important than the decisions reached by the Sudeten Party. Full responsibility for the fate of the Czech-Sudeten negotiations now rests with Herr Hitler," it is generally declared here.—Havas.

Ruthenians Submit Demands

Prague, Sept. 2.

A delegation of the Carpathian Ruthenian Agrarian Party and of the Ruthenian Autonomist League represented by Deputy Brody, called on the Czech Premier, Dr. Milan Hodza, yesterday and submitted the demands of the two groups: autonomy in the spirit of the Peace Treaty, early elections for the Carpatho Ukrainian diet and guarantees that the Carpatho-Ukrainians will be appointed to important posts of administration. Dr. Geronsky, Secretary General of the American Ruthenians, was also present at the conference.—Trans-Ocean.

Slovak Delegation for Prague

Pressburg, Sept. 2.

The Slovak Autonomous People's Party is sending a delegation to Prague within the new few days according to newspapers here today, the intention being to submit a memorandum containing a plan for autonomy to Lord Runciman.

The group will be headed by Deputy Tiso who is the Vice-President of the Party and since the death of the Slovak leader, Father Hlinka, has been directing its activities in conjunction with the Executive Committee.

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Pride of U.S. Navy to Patrol Atlantic Coast

Concentration of New Big Ships Ordered

Washington, Sept. 1.

The Department of Navy today ordered a fleet concentration in the Atlantic for September 6.

Navy officials said the concentration was preparatory to the spring manœuvres bringing the entire fleet to the Atlantic, but the order was generally interpreted as a reflection of the European tension.

The Navy announced that a temporary squadron would do duty in the Atlantic starting on September 6. The order said that "Cruiser Division Eight," under the command of Rear-Admiral Forde Anderson Todd, should proceed to the Atlantic.

The assignment of the squadron to special duty at the present time was regarded as a possible outgrowth of President Roosevelt's recent Kingston speech promising American aid to Canada in case of attack.

Defence of Canada

Naval experts viewed the move as the first step toward the defence of Canada, basing this view on their belief that the United States should control the sea at least 500 miles from the shore.

Some observers pointed out that the special concentration was ordered for the day following the address by Herr Adolf Hitler during the Nuremberg Nazi rally.

The special squadron is composed of the 10,000-ton cruisers Philadelphia, Brooklyn, Savannah, Nashville, Boise, Honolulu and Phoenix, and the destroyers Mugford, Ralph Talbot, Helm, Shaw, Sommers, Warrington and Samson.

Pride of U.S. Fleet Chosen

The squadron, naval observers pointed out, is the pride of the United States Navy since it comprises the most modern vessels in the fleet.

The Nashville, Boise, Honolulu, Phoenix and Samson will be somewhat late in joining the squadron because they had not yet completed their "shakedown."

Most of the cruisers and destroyers ordered for the special demonstration have only recently been completed.—United Press.

Anglo-U.S. Trade Pact Discussed

President Confers with Leaders on Question

Washington, Sept. 1.

The projected Anglo-American commercial treaty and certain aspects of financial relations between Britain and the United States are said to have been discussed today at an hour-long conference held by President Roosevelt with Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, and Mr. Henry Morgenthau, jr., Secretary for the Treasury.

No official explanations for the meeting are given.

During a Press conference today, the question came up as to whether the British Government have asked for information on the United States' attitude in the event of a European crisis. London despatches first reported such action.

Mr. Hull, in replying, limited himself to stating that the President's and his own recent declarations constituted "a clear definition of the attitude of the U.S. Government."

Mr. Hull denied he had had any telephone conversation with Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, U.S. Ambassador in London. He was questioned on the subject yesterday, and gave the same reply.—Havas.

750 Jews Leave Vienna For Palestine

All Religious School Closed, Jews Segregated

Vienna, Sept. 2.

A total of 750 Jews left Vienna today by train. It is believed that they intend to try to reach Palestine.

All Religious schools in Austria have been closed, according to an official announcement.

It is also announced that Jews are forbidden to attend State schools, but a special high school, under private management, will be opened for Jews in the near future.—Reuter.

H. M. Envoy Visits Gaimusho

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Sir Robert Leslie Craigie, British Ambassador, talked with Mr. Kensuke Horinouchi, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, today regarding problems pending between Japan and Britain in connection with the Sino-Japanese hostilities. The interview began at 11.30 o'clock and lasted one hour.—Domei.

U.S. Squadron to Undertake Duty in Atlantic

While the United States Fleet is in the Pacific, the Navy Department has ordered a special squadron of 14 of the latest cruisers and destroyers to concentrate in the Atlantic for temporary duty. This action is described as a preliminary to next spring's manœuvres, which are to take place in the Atlantic, but speculation is aroused in view of the European situation. This picture shows first line ships of the Navy swinging into line for recent manœuvres in the Pacific.

British Commission on Bombing Finds Against Nationalists

Many Raids Declared Deliberate Attacks on Defenceless Cities; "Unskilled Squadron"

London, Sept. 2.

A REPORT issued yesterday by the British Commission of Investigation, which had been examining alleged bombing of open towns in Spain, states that out of 46 raids on Alicante, at least 41 were attempts to hit the port area or the railway station. The report deals altogether with fifty raids.

The investigations which are the basis for the reports were carried out at the request of the Spanish Republican Government, and in addition to attacks on Alicante, those on Barcelona are dealt with. The Commission visited Alicante on August 19 and 20.

Six out of the 46 raids on Alicante were the subject of special examination at the request of the Spanish Republican Government, and of these the Commission finds that two were "deliberate attacks on the civilian area of a city, one was an attack on the main railway station, deliberate attack on a civilian area, or a badly aimed attack on the port and marine station, conducted by an unskilled squadron."

No War Objectives

One of these attacks the reports stated, though probably intended originally against the port area, was deflected by accurate anti-aircraft fire.

Another attack on Alicante which was witnessed by the Commission was, according to the available evidence, directed against the port and marine station.

Alicante, the report declares, contains no munitions factories, and practically no troops or war materials.

At the time of the Commission's visit, imports to the port consisted only of coal and food.

Regarding the raid on Barcelona on August 18, the Commission finds that the raid was either a deliberate attack on a civilian area, or a very badly aimed attack on the port area, conducted by an unskilled squadron.

Civilian Area Bombed

Regarding the raid on Sitges on August 8, the report states that bombs were dropped on the civilian area, and if the object of the pilot was to attack the railway line, they should have chosen another point on the line well away from the town.

Sitges was sheltering 3,000 refugee children, and 400 refugee women at the time.

The attack on Torrevieja, carried out on August 25, is stated to have been a "deliberate attack on a defenceless civilian population."

The attack is said to have been carried out at a low altitude, and in good weather conditions.

Ten persons were killed, and forty injured, and thirty houses wese demolished, in a Nationalist air raid on Palamos, according to a Republican News Agency report from Barcelona.—Reuter.

Reprieve to Prisoners

Barcelona, Sept. 2.

An offer to suspend execution of death sentences for crimes committed before September 1, provided the Nationalists do likewise, was made by the Republican Government in a Note given today to the British Commission for the Exchange of Prisoners.

The Note also proposes the suspension of executions throughout September.—Reuter.

Mexico Rejects U.S. Demands

President Hints Stand Over Seized Farmlands In Congress Speech

Mexico City, Sept. 1.

General Lazaro Cardenas, President of Mexico, indicated today that he would refuse the demand of the U.S. Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, for the suspension of the expropriation of American farmlands.

The Mexican President, addressing Congress on the opening of the regular session, was loudly applauded when he declared that Mexico would maintain her previous arguments that she had a right to expropriate farmlands since Mexican lands also came in for similar treatment.

The Mexican Ambassador in Washington, Dr. Don Francisco Majera, will probably deliver President Cardenas' refusal to Mr. Hull on Friday or Saturday.

Mr. Hull's second Note, regarded to be more strongly worded than any other American Note since the World War, informed Mexico that her refusal to submit the problem to arbitration was in violation of International Law and threatened to cause a breakdown in confidence and trust among nations.

Mr. Hull rejected Mexico's plea that the treatment of Americans was equal to the treatment of Mexicans on the grounds that the Mexican reply to the first Note argues that "it is justifiable to deprive an individual of his rights if all other persons are equally deprived."

Friendly Relations Unchanged

President Cardenas, after his declaration that he would hold to Mexico's previous arguments on the subject of expropriation of the farmlands, said, "fortunately the controversy has not affected the friendship between the United States and Mexico."

He accused other nations of having expropriated without indemnification by departing from the gold standard. He declared that it was a "bitter reality" which indicated that weak countries must beware of foreign investments.

The speech was an obvious prelude to a direct rejection of the second Hull Note.

Observers speculated whether Washington would recall Mr. Josephus Daniels, U.S. Ambassador to Mexico, who heard the speech but who was hardly aware of the import since he understands little Spanish.—United Press.

Italian Comment on Naval Manœuvres

Rome, Sept. 1.

The "Tribuna," in an editorial, criticized the British Home Fleet manœuvres in the North Sea during the time of the Nazi rally at Nuremberg. "Does not history teach anything?" the journal asked. "A very recent past should counsel against such useless and provocatory expediencies."—United Press.

China Fails to Pay Reparations for Bombing of ss. President Hoover

Chinese Ambassador Visits President Roosevelt; Favourable Trend Shown in Resisting Japanese

Washington, Sept. 1.

China has paid no reparations for the bombing of the Dollar liner President Hoover by Chinese planes near Shanghai in August, 1937, it was learned today.

Officials of the State Department refused to discuss the matter. They failed to reveal whether recent discussions with China included the matter of compensation for damaging the Hoover and wounding several persons aboard the liner.

Dr. C. T. Wang, China Ambassador to Washington, conferred with President Roosevelt today for the first time in several weeks, but it was not revealed whether their discussions involved mention of reparations.

The Chinese Ambassador explained that he had not seen the President for many weeks because of the President's absence and he thus took this opportunity of seeing him shortly after his return to the Whitehouse.

He said their conversation was on general subjects and designed chiefly to "bring up to date our situation." He refused to comment on just what he meant by "our situation."

It was authoritatively understood that no question of United States intercession or mediation in the Sino-Japanese hostilities arose because Chinese remain confident that their resistance can be sustained for an indefinite period.

Prior to the conference it was understood that Dr. Wang possessed figures designed to show China obtains 70 per cent. of her normal internal revenue from most of the provinces nominally under Japanese occupation at present.

The Chinese Ambassador was also understood to have had statistics in his possession to show that China had experienced a favourable trade situation in recent months.—United Press.

Gangster's Lawyer Tells Of Visiting Sweetheart

"Dixie" Davis Confesses Having Perjured Himself

New York, Sept. 1.

Mr. J. Richard "Dixie" Davis, lawyer for the late "Dutch" Schultz, gangster and promoter of the U.S. $100,000,000 lottery racket, denied in court today that he had attempted to trap James J. Hines, alleged Schultz protector, into making incriminating admissions.

The dapper young lawyer withstood the biting cross-examination by Mr. Lloyd P. Stryker, counsel for the defence, but admitted having visited his Broadway sweetheart, Miss Hope Dare. He testified that he would be accompanied by two detectives during the visits. He said that he saw his sweetheart eight or ten times after visiting his physician for tonsil treatment. He made the visits while held in the Tombs.

The former Schultz attorney denied that he had discussed the visits with Mr. Thomas Dewey, District Attorney, but admitted after withering questioning by Mr. Stryker that in the past he had often perjured himself.—United Press.

Egyptian Army Force Sent to Palestine Frontier

Cairo, Sept. 2.

Following reports that a small railway station has been burned by rebels on the Palestine side of the frontier, the Egyptian Government has decided to send a military force to the Palestine frontier, as a precautionary measure.—Reuter.

London-H'kong Letters To Go by Air Mail

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 2.

Mr. G. C. Tryon, Postmaster General, announces that all first-class mail, (letters, letter packets and postcards) destined for Hongkong will in future be dispatched by air as the means of transportation.

There will be two services weekly from Britain to Hongkong. The service will take only from seven to nine days, compared with three weeks or more by surface transport.—Reuter.

Typhoon Takes Big Toll in Japan

Heavy Damage Done to Shipping; Hundreds Left Homeless; 99 Killed

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Deaths from the typhoon that swept across eastern Japan yesterday morning totalled 99, according to a police report at 9 a.m. today. In addition, 77 persons were injured and 69 are missing.

The dead include: three in Tokyo; thirty in Tochigi Prefecture; 27 in Gumma Prefecture; 25 in Saitama Prefecture; and four in Kanagawa Prefecture.

Demolished houses number 1,560, including 278 in Tokyo, 468 in Kanagawa Prefecture, 351 in Saitama Prefecture, and 170 in Obaragi Prefecture. Houses only partially destroyed total 4,808. These were found as follows: 678, Tokyo; 2,391, Kanagawa Prefecture; 963, Saitama Prefecture; and 144, Obaragi Prefecture. Houses washed away number 295, including nine in Tokyo, 150 in Tochigi Prefecture, and 59 in Gumma Prefecture.

About 12,500 persons are taking refuge in concentration camps, while a number of others have been rendered homeless, and are staying with friends or relatives.

Shipping losses in Yokohama are estimated at Y.5,000,000, including damage to wharves, dredgers, motorboats and fishing smacks.

Official estimates of the total damage, including losses of crops, are not yet available, but are expected to be enormous.

Whole sections of Tokyo, and other cities and towns, were still in darkness last night, because repairs to the lighting systems have not yet been completed.—Reuter.

Lille Bus, Tram Workers Declare Strike

Textile Workers Ready to Quit Against Wage Cuts

Lille, Sept. 2.

Tramway and bus workmen in Lille went out on strike this morning in protest at the dismissal of 37 employees on the grounds of economy.

The action was the first overt move in a general wave of unrest that is sweeping the whole textile district of northern France, where 40,000 workers are affected.

Roubaix workmen are expected to follow the example set by Lille, where a textile strike is threatened unless a demand for a twelve per cent. increase in wages is met by September 8.

Fourteen thousand workers in the Somme Department also struck this morning.

In the Somme district some employers are announcing a nineteen per cent. decrease in wages.—Reuter.

Dr. Quo Tai-chi Confers With Lord Halifax

China's Appeal to League Believed Discussed

London, Sept. 2.

Dr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador in London, is understood to have discussed yesterday with Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, the Chinese Government's appeal, which is again on the agenda of the forthcoming meetings of the League Council Assembly.

Dr. Quo, it is reported, drew Lord Halifax' attention to the alleged failure of the member states generally to implement more fully than they had done the League resolutions urging them to give all possible assistance to China.

In view of Britain's "historic friendship and enormous interests in China," it is understood, Dr. Quo urged that Britain leads in the matter.—Reuter.

Jews Not Allowed to Teach in Italy

Rome, Sept. 2.

Under a further decree Jews are prohibited from teaching in schools and universities.—Reuter.

Lull Follows Offensive

Little Change on Juichang Front; Japanese Claim To Have Pierced Chinese Lines on Honan Border

Hankow, Sept. 2.

FOLLOWING the Chinese offensive on Wednesday, which resulted in a major victory for the Chinese, a lull prevails on the Juichang front, according to Chinese reports. Both the Chinese and the Japanese are said to be seizing the opportunity to bring up fresh reinforcements.

Heavy fighting, however, Chinese despatches state, broke out today south of Kiukiang, where Japanese forces in three columns attempted an advance in the direction of Tehan, strategic town on the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway.

A battle is said to be in progress along a line extending from the railway eastward through Liutoushan, of the Lushan range of mountains, and then south-eastward to Tungkuling, south-west of Singtze.

In north-western Anhwei, the Chinese continue to watch closely the movements of the Japanese forces, followig the fall of Luan and Hoshan.

Chinese military reports claim that the Chinese are holding the hills west of Luan while the Japanese at Hoshan are moving northward, probably trying to outflank the Chinese west of Luan and also to join in a westward drive from Luan in the direction of Shangchen, in north-eastern Hupeh.

Honan Invaded

Hankow's outer defence line was "definitely broken" yesterday as Japanese troops started to invade Honan province from Anhwei, according to press reports from Luan last night.

The reports said a Japanese column which drove westward from Luan occupied Yehkiatsi, border town between Anhwei and Honan on Thursday.

Japanese flying columns were said to be pushing on westward from Yehkiatsi, which is six kilometres east of Kushih and 80 kilometres east of Shangcheng on the highway to Sinyang.

Meanwhile another Japanese detachment which drove westward from Hwangmei in south-eastern Hupeh now is battering at Kwangtsi, north of Wusueh on the northern bank of the Yangtze River, according to a message relayed from Tokyo.

Following the capture of Lichuang and Yangkiatang Japanese forces yesterday morning started a general assault on Mahweiling, 15 kilometres north of Tehan.

Chinese Positions Bombed

Blasting their way from the air, Japanese forces today were surging southwards from Juichang towards Tehan, the pivotal point in the Chinese system of defences halfway between Kiukiang and Nanchang in Kiangsi province.

Urgent dispatches from Domei correspondents with the Japanese troops on this front, yesterday morning reported that the southward push was renewed at dawn from Tsaokiapan, 17 kilometres north of Tehan. Tsaokiapan was taken by four Japanese detachments at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

An intensive use of heavy bombing aircraft featured this Japanese advance. More than 100 army aircraft, in addition to almost an equal number of naval craft, were assigned to this front to blast out the Chinese from their positions in the hilly terrain west and south of the Lushan mountains.

Encircling Move Continued

The occupation of Tsaokiapan by the Japanese effectively cut off the retreat of the Chinese deployed in a semi-circular front facing northeast.

The progress of the Japanese columns converging upon Tehan from Singtze in the north-east threatened to complete the bottling-up of these Chinese troops estimated at 200,000 men.

In a dawn attack yesterday, the Japanese troops advancing from Singtze dislodged the Chinese from their positions on Itzeshan and Tungkuling, Domei dispatches continued.

To the north, on the south bank of the Yangtze, Japanese forces were gradually closing in upon Matouchen, strategic point commanding the eastern entrance to a bottle-neck area in the river. Both army and naval landing parties were co-operating in this operation.

On the northern bank, Japanese forces were 15 kilometres east of Kwangtsi.

Bombers Busy

Continuing intensive attacks upon Chinese troop concentrations and bases in the Yangtze Valley sectors, naval aircraft on Thursday extended co-operation to Japanese naval surface craft and land units, a communiqué issued by the China Seas Fleet command said yesterday.

Chinese military bases at Tehan, halfway between Kiukiang and Nanchang on the Nanzing Railway, Shihmen and other points were attacked. Heavy damage was claimed having been inflicted.

Overcoming poor visibility caused by low-lying clouds, naval aerial squadrons operating in South China "completely destroyed" the Pitsungchwang railway bridge on the Canton-Hankow railway. Damage was also caused to the tracks and the bridges at Paishih, Shektan and Yuantan, the communiqué asserted.

All aircraft engaged in the operations returned to their bases safely, according to the announcement which remarked that Chinese aircraft were totally unseen throughout the day.

Yellow River Offensive

Hankow, Sept. 2.

In an effort to clear the Japanese troops on the north bank of the Yellow River in north-western Honan opposite Loyang, Chinese forces in the Taihanshan mountains have launched a general offensive in an attempt to push southwards towards the waterway, accordnig to military despatches received at the Chinese headquarters here.

The Chinese, it is claimed, have captured the important cities of Chiyuan and Sinyang, and are at present converging on the town of Menghsien, on the north bank.—Reuter.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 8½d. U.S.$ 17 7/16 c.

Tokyo Uninformed Of Tientsin Move

British, French Concession Authorities Charged with Lack of Co-operation

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Official dispatches from Tientsin received by the Foreign Office up to this morning made no reference to orders, alleged to have been issued on Wednesday by the Japanese military authorities in Tientsin, for the evacuation of all Japanese residents and business houses from the French and British concessions in the north China port, a Gaimusho spokesman said this morning.

"It is quite possible, however, that the Japanese military authorities in Tientsin may have informally ordered Japanese residents to withdraw from the British and French concessions," he remarked.

"Lots of complaints," the spokesman continued, had been made by the Japanese authorities against the alleged failure of the authorities of the French and British concessions to "co-operate" with the Japanese.

Causes of friction, he said, included the question of the operation of telegraph and post offices in the concessions, a refusal of the French concession authorities to permit an inspection by Japanese officials of the specie reserves of the Bank of China and of the Bank of Communications, and assassination plots against high "Provisional Government" officials.

Mr. Wang Keh-min, president of the Executive Yuan of the "Provisional Chinese Government in Peking," as well as his associates were alleged by the spokesman to have been aimed at in plots asserted to have been hatched in the two concessions.—Domei.

Alarm Deprecated

Tientsin, Sept. 2.

Alarmist interpretations that have been current in various quarters concerning the Japanese order for the withdrawal of their nationals from the British and French Concessions in Tientsin are deprecated by foreign official circles here.

Certain of these rumours associated the move with the "crisis" in Europe and there has been heard talk of an alleged intention on the part of the Japanese military authorities to request the withdrawal of the British and French garrisons from Tientsin.

Usually well-informed foreign circles here, however, are inclined to believe that the Japanese action is designed to bring economic pressure to bear, in view of present currency difficulties and the Japanese desire to introduce a control of trade and exchange, to which the British and French Concessions present obstacles.

Neutral circles regard the difficulties of the new currency as inherent in the present situation owing to the lack of reserves and the Chinese control over the interior, where foreign bankers are powerless.

Recent Cotton Fires

It is pointed out that the recent series of cotton fires, which imperilled foreign firms where the cotton was packed, were not limited to the British and French Concessions, but also occurred in other areas.

Moreover, the discovery of a plant in the French Concession where Chinese guerillas were printing bank notes was followed my its seizure by the French authorities, who, however, declined to hand over the plant's employees to the Japanese.

The Japanese charge of speculation in yen notes apparently refers to Chinese exchange banks' purchase of yen for transfer to Shanghai, a practice resulting in numerous seizures lately by the Customs.

While the Japanese military authorities have often expressed their discontent with the situation in the British and French Concessions, the authorities of the latter areas say that they have tried their utmost to preserve political neutrality, to consider the Japanese representations in specific cases and to introduce measures for the tightening up of regulations.

Reports that Japanese businessmen have cabled to the Japanese Government appealing for a modification of the evacuation order cannot be confirmed.

It is understood that the Japanese Residents Society will begin a series of conferences tomorrow to consider the situation.

The position of Japanese firms and residents in the British and French Concessions, meanwhile, remains normal.—Reuter.

Japanese Admiral Dies In Plane Crash

Reconnoitring Party All Killed on Yangtze

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Vice-Admiral Jintaro Kato was killed on July 31 when a Japanese navy flying boat crashed into a Chinese position south-west of Anking, the navy announced today.

The plane was returning to its base after an important mission up the Yangtze in connection with Japanese military bases when it ran into bad weather and simultaneously developed engine trouble. All aboard the big flying ship were killed, including Vice-Admiral Kato, Commander Michio Kondo, and Captain Soji Oide. The bodies of the passengers and crew were later recovered.

The Japanese navy said the plane was not engaged in hostilities but was merely on an inspection tour.—United Press.

China's U.S. Trade Shows Good Trend

Seven Months Balance Favourable; Japanese Imports in Excess

Washington, Sept. 1.

China's favourable trade balance with the United States in July was U.S.$1,226,000 while Japan's unfavourable balance amounted to U.S.$5,344,000, the Department of Commerce announced today.

China's exports to the United States in July totalled U.S.$3,598,000 compared to U.S.$3,486,000 in June. Japan's July exports to America were U.S. $8,594,000 compared to U.S.$10,688,000 the previous month.

In July, China imported from the United States U.S.$2,372,000 worth of goods and Japan, U.S.$13,938,000. Each country imported roughly fifty per cent. compared to their totals for the previous July. Japan's sales in the United States were about half that of July, 1937, but China's were only one-third.

China's Seven-monthly Balance

China's favourable trade balance for the seven month period ending July amount to U.S.$1,483,000 compared to Japan's unfavourable balance of U.S.$71,995,000.

Hongkong shipments to the United States in July amounted to U.S.$446,000 compared to U.S.$141,000 in June. Hongkong in July imported from the United States U.S.$1,537,000 worth of goods compared to the June figure of U.S.$1,996,000 and U.S.$728,000 in July last year.

Kwantung in July exported U.S. $139,000 of goods compared to U.S.$741,666 the previous July while importing products worth U.S.$1,400,000 compared to U.S.$1,037 in June and U.S.$1,418,000 in July, 1937.—United Press.

Guerillas Still Active Near Peiping

American Party Has Thrill During Train Journey

Peiping, Sept. 2.

Guerillas kept Japanese troops busy round Peiping last night.

A large body first appeared on the Peiping-Tientsin railway west of Lanfeng, where a sharp engagement lasting several hours took place.

American women and children returning from Peitaiho, the seaside resort near Chinwangtao, described how trains were stopped at Lanfeng and lights put out while rifle and machine-gun fire rattled intermittently.

The train in which the Americans travelled from Chinwangtao arrived here 12 hours behind schedule.

At three o'clock this morning Japanese troops were hurriedly rushed out of the north gate of Peiping to a point six miles to the north, where a sharp engagement followed with several hundred guerillas, the result of which is still unknown.

The city remains calm despite the fact that firing is audible.—Reuter.

Hankow Evacuees Asked To Register

Police Wish Precautions Taken for Property

Hankow, Sept. 2.

Through the newspapers, the police authorities here this morning issued an appeal to the public to notify the police when they leave the city.

The action of the authorities is prompted by the fact that thousands of homes, although empty, are filled with furniture and other belongings of tenants who have evacuated for other cities without leaving their new address behind. The instructions, as issued by the police, state that:

1. If persons leave their homes for other cities, they should notify the police.
2. Evacuees should carry along their belongings, but if they are unable to take away their heavier property, such should be left in the safe-keeping of friends.
3. The doors and windows of vacant houses should be securely locked and boarded up.
4. Neighbours who are not evacuating should be requested to look after empty homes.
5. If whole streets are evacuated, residents of a same street should jointly hire a watchman, whose name and address should be reported to the police.
6. Kerosene and other inflammable material should not be left in vacant houses.—Reuter.

Cotton Prices Soar In North China

Crops from Central Areas Expected to Relieve Need

Osaka, Sept. 2.

With numerous orders for cotton pouring into North China from Manchoukuo and Japan, cotton prices in North China have risen rapidly and one picul sells for Y.70, an increase of Y.20 as compared with the original price.

Chief causes of the rise are the purchases of 300,000 piculs by cotton spinning companies in Manchoukuo and 1,200,000 piculs by the recently established joint cotton purchases guild in Japan.

The companies in Manchoukuo recently were allowed to purchase 160,000 piculs of cotton from North China, but they were not satisfied with this quantity and placed additional orders for 140,000 piculs.

The order from the Japanese guild also exceeded the original quota by 300,000 piculs.

Despite the sudden rise in prices in North China cotton spinning industrialists here are taking an optimistic view of the situation as a result of a report that 2,300,000 piculs of cotton will be placed on the market in North China this autumn if part of the crops in Central China and Shansi is added.

In Hopei Province 1,800,000 piculs of cotton will be produced this year while in Shantung Province 300,000 piculs are anticipated.—Domei.

$3,700 Robbery

A gang of eight robbers escaped with $3,700 last night when they broke into House No. 56, Yung Ching Faung, off Taku Road. One of the men who was armed with a pistol held the seven occupants at bay, while the rest of the gang looted the house. No shot was fired in the hold-up.

Paris Press Discusses Czech Situation

Mr. Leon Blum Puts Burden On Herr Hitler

Paris, Sept. 2.

The French Cabinet met today to discuss the international situation.

Herr Hitler's paramount role in the international situation is discussed at length here today in the morning press.

If war comes, declares M. Leon Blum, writing in "Le Populaire," it will be because Herr Hitler deliberately willed it against the peace efforts of the democracies.

"Herr Hitler will have had to will it tenaciously, implacably, and without reason, excuse or pretext, even of saving face, for he already has won his cause as far as there is cause to be won, and his bluff, if it is bluff, has already succeeded," M. Blum writes.

Mme. Tabouis, writing in "L'Œuvre," says that according to foreign circles, Herr Konrad Henlein, before leaving, gave his reply to the Czech Government's protest and that it was not negative, but evasive, permitting further negotiations.—Reuter.

British Envoy Returns To Warsaw

Polish Government Stand In Czech Issue Sounded

Warsaw, Sept. 1.

With instructions to inform the Polish Government of Britain's views on the Czech situation, Sir Howard William Kennard, British Ambassador to Poland, returned here today after a month's holiday spent in England.

Sir Howard is to report to the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, on Poland's attitude towards the Czech problem, it is declared in usually well-informed quarters.

Colonel Joseph Beck, Polish Foreign Minister, recently received the British Charge d'Affaires here, Mr. Clifford Norton, and the German Ambassador, Herr Hans Adolf von Moltke, and discussed Czech issues with them, it is now reported.

The newspaper "Goniec Warzawski" claims in London despatches that Lord Halifax has informed the Polish Charge d'Affaires, M. A. Jazdzewski, that the Polish minorities in Czechoslovakia would be given advantages similar to those eventually granted the other national groups.

Equal rights for Polish minorities always formed the fundamental claim of the Polish Government.—Havas.

U.S. Sympathies with Britain, France

Washington, Sept. 1.

The sympathies of the United States are entirely with France and Great Britain in the present crisis, a high official of the U.S. Government declared unofficially today. He added that the United States would support the Western democracies in the event of a conflict, though not by sending troops or granting financial loans, which are banned by the Johnson Act.—Havas.

Wuhan Battle Scenes To Be Broadcast

Japan Plans Nationwide Hook-up

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Oral pictures of the coming battles in the Wuhan area will be given to the Japanese nation by special commentators of Radio Station JOAK operated by the Tokyo Broadcasting Corporation, it was announced today.

Spectacular scenes at the fronts will be described on the spot by the ablest announcers of the station over a nationwide hook-up.

A similar programme was successfully presented by the station at the time of the capture of Hsuchow on May 19. The announcers to be sent to the front are being selected. Mr. Shigeru Nakamura and Mr. Hiroshi Asanuma were reported to be the most outstanding candidates to get the assignment. Mr. Nakamura attained a national reputation as a radio announcer at the time of the attempted military coup d'état in Tokyo on February 26, 1936, when he read the famous "advice to the revolting men" written by Lieut.-Gen. Kohei Kashii, then Commander-in-Chief of troops enforcing martial law.

The announcers are expected to leave Tokyo for the front in a few days.—Domei.

Automatic Telephones For Peiping

Equipment to Be Ordered From Japan

Peiping, Sept. 2.

Automatic telephones will be installed in Peiping, beginning with the East City first, it is announced.

This information is contained in a circular letter addressed by the Central Telephone Administration to telephone subscribers in the East City.

The letter requests the subscribers to fill in a form containing a number of questions.

It is generally believed that the automatic telephones will be ordered from Japan.

It may be recalled that the Central Telephone Administration has been placed under the control of the North China Telegraph and Telephone Co., Ltd., since the inauguration of the latter on August 1.—Reuter.

Germans in Poland to Be Organized

Warsaw, Sept. 2.

The organization of the Germans in Poland into a national group was the subject of a lengthy conference between the Polish Premier, M. Slavoj-Skladkovski, and the chairman of the Council of Germans in Poland, Senator Hasbach.—Trans-Ocean.

Precautions at Court

Precautionary measures are to be taken at the First Special District Court this morning when four of a gang of five members of the "Yellow Way Society" will hear judgment on charges of disturbing public order. The self-confessed terrorists were arrested by the Settlement Police and during the last hearing three of them confessed having taken part in three of the five bombings in the Settlement on June 12.

New Franco-Reich Amity Urged

Herr Hitler Repudiates Autarchy Aims; Germany Forced Into Isolation

Paris, Sept. 1.

"Let us be fair. We have less reasons to hate each other than we have for mutual admiration. True and lasting peace is necessary," Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler is quoted as saying in an interview published by "Le Journal" today. The German Leader acclaimed mutual Franco-German esteem.

"If National Socialism were better understood abroad, it would be realized that it is a new conception of the world and that it is impossible for people to adapt themselves to this conception unless there is lasting peace," Herr Hitler is further quoted.

The Fuehrer is declared to have emphasized that the greatest danger in Europe was that Germany should become Bolshevist. Such threats have been dispelled not only in Germany, but also in other countries such as Belgium, France and Holland. "Russian Asiatic Communism is defeated in those lands," he added.

Autarchy Repudiated

Continuing the interview, the Fuehrer stressed the importance of economic co-operation, for "the economic situation of Europe will involve disputes until all nations enter into active co-operation."

The peoples should have in mind fruitful economic co-operation as well as collaboration in all other lines," he said.

Herr Hitler rejected charges that Germany has deliberately isolated herself economically and asserted that autarchy has been imposed upon the Reich. Germany herself had not and does not aim at isolation, "but submitted to such a system and discipline in order to face possible, forced isolation, which might have been involved in gradual Bolshevist penetration round her."—Havas.

Asama Maru Rejoins T.-Pacific Service

Liner Fully Restored; New Improvements Made

News was received yesterday that the N.Y.K. 22,000 ton quadruple-screw liner mv. Asama Maru, on the company's Orient-California Line, is resuming her trans-Pacific sailings and leaves Kobe on September 13 for Yokohama from where she will proceed to Los Angeles by way of Honolulu and San Francisco, on September 15.

It may be recalled that the Asama Maru was washed ashore in Hongkong about a year ago when a tremendous typhoon struck that port. At that time she was docked alongside the Lloyd Triestino liner Conte Verde and as the typhoon was reported approaching, the dock authorities had the two vessels joined and attached to the wharf by wire hawsers for mutual protection.

As the gale struck the Hongkong harbour, a number of vessels broke off from their moorings and were tossed about the harbour by the typhoon. One of these vessels, the ss. Kutlee, a small coaster, severed the wire hawsers holding the Asama Maru and the Conte Verde to the dock and both ships were washed ashore by the gale.

Hongkong Typhoon

While the Conte Verde was grounded on a sand-bank and refloated about ten weeks after the mishap, the Asama Maru struck a rocky shoal and was washed ashore high and dry. It took eleven months of a highly meritorious effort by the Tokyo Salvage Company to refloat the liner, which proceeded to Nagasaki under her own power.

During the long period of exceptionally difficult and remarkably handled work of refloating the vessel, splendid co-operation was accorded by the British authorities to the Tokyo Salvage Company, which was permitted to carry out blasting operations in close proximity to a British fort guarding the Lymoon Pass. The N.Y.K. and the Japanese Foreign Ministry duly telegraphed their appreciation of that co-operation to the British authorities concerned.

The liner left the dry dock fully restored and in some details improved and rejuvenated, such as addition of an improved loud speaker system which permits announcements to be made throughout the vessel from the bridge, the double-plated streamlined rudder which decreases the water friction; the magneto-striction type echo-sounding apparatus, and a public telephone booth.

U.S. Envoy Speaks in Aberdeen

Freedom of Worship Given As Pillar of Democracy

Aberdeen, Sept. 2.

Freedom of worship is the main pillar of democracy, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, American Ambassador to Great Britain, stated today during a speech he made on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the Samuel Seabury memorial at Aberdeen Cathedral.

"Some nations in the world are involved in disputes both internal and external," he added. "The rest watch anxiously from the side-lines doing what little they can to counsel patience and forbearance and above all the avoidance of war. They owe it to the great mass of people in their countries and their children to leave no avenue unexplored in their efforts to prevent a war. It ought not to be beyond the reach of human intelligence to prevent the disaster which everyone seems to fear."

Mr. Kennedy expressed the belief that something could be done by the application of the internationally recognized principles by faith and by spiritual courage, by loyalty in mutual dealings and by the exercise of common sense.—Havas.

New Italian Minister To Czechoslovakia

Prague, Sept. 1.

Signor Francesco Fransoni, new Italian Minister to Czechoslovakia, presented his credentials to the President, Dr. Edouard Benes today. Signor Fransoni is replacing Signor Domenico de Facendis, former Minister.—Havas.

Indians Found Guilty Of Larceny Charges

Sentenced to Hard Labour For "Outrageous Thing"

Three years' imprisonment with hard labour for Nika Singh and two years with hard labour for Harnam Singh, Udham Singh and Gurcharan Singh were the sentences passed by Assistant Judge P. Grant Jones in H. M. Supreme Court yesterday.

The jury, which consisted of Messrs. F. R. W. Barnett, A. Huxley, J. C. Jenkins, R. J. Sheppard and H. W. Brown, found the four Indians guilty of all the three charges of larceny of boxes containing packages of corks and bottles as well as a number of bottling machines.

The jury retired at 6.20 p.m. and returned at 7.30 p.m. with their verdict. In passing the sentences, the Judge said: "It is an outrageous thing that when the unfortunate natives of this country had been compelled to flee from their homes or other premises, British subjects such as you should methodically and deliberately prey upon the properties left behind. You Nika Singh will be imprisoned for three years with hard labour and you Harnam Singh, Udham Singh and Gurcharan Singh for two years with hard labour on each charge, sentences to run concurrently."

Mr. Victor Priestwood, Crown Advocate, appeared for the prosecution, while Mr. R. L. Stuart represented Nika Singh, Udham Singh and Gurcharan Singh, and Mr. K. E. Newman, Harnam Singh.

In his address to the jury Mr. Stuart suggested that the boxes had been removed by Japanese soldiers either before the area was opened up or afterwards, as it had been stated that they had been seen removing furniture and boxes etc. from the lane where the house was situated. Evidence was also given that an Indian watchman had been bound by Japanese soldiers who then entered the houses and removed property. It was also suggested that the owner of the boxes would gain considerably from prosecuting the nationals of a Power possessing extraterritorial rights.

Nanking Orders Schools To Reopen

Effort to Restore Normal Education

Middle and primary schools within territories under the "Reformed Government's" jurisdiction were instructed to reopen at the earliest date possible in an order issued by the "Reformed Government's" Ministry of Education yesterday it was reported last night.

Schools already reopened were instructed to admit as many students as possible who were unable to continue their studies because schools they attended prior to the hostilities still were closed or destroyed.

In Hangchow 25 primary schools already have reopened while preparations are being made for reopening two middle schools, one for boys and one for girls.

California Farmer's Wife Abducted

Ransom of $15,000 Asked By Kidnappers

Marysville, Cal. Sept. 2.

A pair of white-masked gunmen at 2 o'clock this morning abducted Mrs. W. R. Meegs, 55-year-old wife of a prominent Sacramento Valley farmer; bound and gagged Mr. Meegs and fled in the couple's new Chevrolet car. The kidnappers demanded U.S. $15,000 ransom for Mrs. Meegs.

Local police and Federal G-Men were soon tracing all available clues in an attempt to disclose the identity of the abductors. A few hours after the crime was committed, the car was found abandoned on a Marysville side-street.

Police believed the abductors of Mrs. Meegs fled from the scene in a second stolen car. In the car were found the farm woman's glasses and her purse. Police were checking the articles for fingerprints.—United Press.

Sudeten Leader Brings Message to Fuehrer

(Continued from page 5)

The Slovak national parties are not in favour of any solution of the nationalities problem through a division of the country into cantons as such would make the creating of a national diet for the Slovak minority impossible. They also object to the creation of separate cantons for the Hungarian minority in Slovakia as this would violate the integrity of the land which they regard as theirs.

It is declared that the Hungarians are not to be deprived of their rights as a national group but the Slovaks demand the right to deal with this problem through their own national diet.—Trans-Ocean.

Lord Halifax Remains In London

Central European Situation Focuses All Interest

London, Sept. 1.

Lord Halifax, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, who came back from Yorkshire on Monday, is remaining in London at present.

This morning, at the Foreign Office, he saw the Chinese Ambassador, Dr. Quo Tai Chi.

The situation in Central Europe continues to engage the close attention of the British Government.

It is felt here that resumption of negotiations in Prague is urgently required to relieve the gathering of tension and press reports of today's interviews between President Benes and Lord Runciman on the one hand and Herr Hitler and Herr Henlein on the other are, it is hoped, a preclude to a more positive phase in the search by the two sides in Czechoslovakia, for an agreed settlement of their differences.—Wireless through Reuter.

Quai d'Orsay Visited By German Envoy

French Hopes for Peaceful Czech Settlement Expressed

Paris, Sept. 1.

The French Government's desire for a peaceful settlement of the Czech-Sudeten dispute was expressed by M. Georges Bonnet, the Foreign Minister, when he received Count Johannes von Welczek, German Ambassador here, this morning, authoritative quarters revealed today.

In this interview, the general international situation was also discussed, it is asserted.

M. Bonnet further thanked Count von Welczek on behalf of the French Government for the cordial reception given General Edmond Vuillemin, Chief of the General Staff of the French Air Force, when the latter and his suite visited the Reich last month.

This afternoon, the Foreign Minister received Dr. Stefan Osusky, Czech Minister here. At this interview, Central European problems were studied, it is learnt.—Havas.

Portland Police Make Big Opium Haul

Philippine Ship's Coal Bin Hides 1,485 Oz. of Drug

Portland, Sept. 1.

In the second largest opium haul in forty years, Portland police today seized 1,485 ounces valued at U.S.$67,000 aboard the Philippine steamer Don Jose. The opium was found hidden in a coal bin.

Although no arrests had been made late tonight, police were questioning members of the crew and had ordered the captain to deposit bond of U.S.$25 for each ounce of opium uncovered.—United Press.

For the first time since 1934, on which occasion she accompanied the late King George V, Queen Mary is in residence at the Palace of Holyrood House. Her Majesty arrived at Edinburgh by train on Thursday afternoon from Sandringham.

Americans Cable Views to U.S.

Opinion on Local Affairs and Problems Sent to Washington

American organizations in Shanghai, for considerable time have been discussing in their committees the matter of adopting a programme expressing the views of local American citizens with regard to developments affecting their interests.

It was thought that the adoption of such a programme, expressing the views of Americans engaged in various lines of work, would be of assistance to the home authorities and people in formulating intelligent policies affecting our interests in China as well as American interests generally in the Pacific and the Far East.

A telegram signed jointly by the American Chamber of Commerce and the American Community organization of Shanghai was dispatched to the State Department and certain organizations in the United States embracing the views of the community on questions of pressing interest. This telegram embraced the questions of restoring the authority and control of the Municipal Council throughout all the areas of the International Settlement, and the restoration of American properties and goods to their rightful owners with free and full access to same and indemnification for losses suffered.

The telegram also recommended that steps be taken to bring about a discontinuance of censorship and interference with mails, telegrams, cables, and other means of communication. The message urged the return of equipment and resumption of dredging operations on the Whangpoo River and Shanghai Harbour.

It was recommended that full rights and privileges of trade, travel and residence in the Yangtze Valley, North China and other areas including the use of railways, shipping, commercial airways and motor highways be restored with access to markets and mission centres on a basis of equality of opportunity.

Finally, it was recommended that all practical measures be taken to limit the scope of hostilities in their disastrous effects on civilian communities and prevent possible spread to other quarters of the world.

The recommendations constitute an attempt on the part of local Americans to support their home authorities in restoring the prestige of the Nine Power Treaty and other treaties providing for calm and orderly consideration of problems affecting the interests of Americans and other nationals concerned with this part of the world.

Car with Hitler Guards Overturned

Accident Kills One During Fuehrer's Tour of Forts

Paris, Sept. 2.

The paper "Paris-Midi" reported that an accident took place during Herr Hitler's tour of inspection along the German fortifications in the West known as the "Siegfried Line."

A car occupied by eleven of the Fuehrer's bodyguards overturned near a small village in the Eifel mountain range.

One bodyguard was killed and several others injured, the paper claimed.—Havas.

Nantao Official Dies In Hospital

Victim of Terrorist Attack Succumbs to Wound

Zung Yung, chairman of the pro-Japanese Nantao Autonomous Commission, who was shot in the stomach in Sinza Road Tuesday, died in the Paulun Hospital at 2 p.m. yesterday.

Zung, alias Zung Yung Chi, former member of the Shanghai Municipal Police, was leaving his residence in Sinza Road at about 9.30 a.m. when gunmen ran forward and let loose about fourteen shots which sprayed all over the car, sending broken glass flying in all directions. The Nantao official was only struck once.

A native of Shanghai, Zung was 32 years of age, and used his Settlement residence only about once a week, the remainder of the time being spent in his home in the French Concession.

The deceased was educated in Japan and formerly was a clerk at Police Headquarters and also a member of the S.M.P. Specials. Later he acted as a local lawyer when he was employed by Mr. Okamoto. He was also a member of the Nantao Guild.

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FROM DAY TO DAY

MR. and Mrs. G. Halberg have returned to Shanghai from a holiday in Europe.

THE next meeting of the Shanghai Municipal Council will be held on September 7 at 4.30 p.m.

DR. P. F. Price will lecture over station XMHA 760kc this evening at 8.30. His subject will be "The Opposing Ideologies of two Great Realists." All are cordially invited to "tune in."

NINETY-FOUR Chinese soldiers wounded in local hostilities last year, whose injuries were treated in a base hospital opened in Route Courbet by the International Committee of the China Red Cross Society here, left Shanghai on Thursday for Wenchow en route to the interior.

THE appointment of Dr. Paul H. Bucholz as Pacific Region Secretary of the Associated Boards for Christian Colleges in China was announced in San Francisco on Thursday. Dr. Bucholz resigned as Secretary of the California Church council to accept the new appointment.

IN connection with the celebrations of the 40th anniversary of her accession to the throne, Her Majesty the Queen of Holland has appointed the Chairman of the German-Netherlands Society in Berlin, the State-Councillor, Herr Emil Helfferich, Grand Officer of the Order of Orange-Nassau.

THE Monthly Corporate Communion of the Junior Fellowship will be held in the Cathedral tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, and will be followed by a family breakfast in the Cathedral Hall. At the breakfast an opportunity will be given to members to sign a letter which has been prepared, felicitating the Rev. J. L. Brown upon his forthcoming marriage.

THE Secretary of the S.S.P.C.A. points out that the statement that the skinning of live frogs at the Seymour Road market was discovered by the Society is incorrect. The Secretary adds that the matter was reported to the Society but that an Inspector who subsequently visited the market did not witness the practice.

THE Navy Y.M.C.A. wishes to acknowledge with thanks the kind donation of books and magazines received from the following people during the month of August:—Miss E. H. Falck, Mrs. D. H. Eppley, Mr. M. A. Ferras, Mr. Len Bright, Mrs. N. L. Carleton, Mrs. A. Sepe, Miss M. A. Frame, Mrs. Estes, Mr. R. G. Allman, Mrs. E. H. Munson, Miss G. Oldroyd, Mrs. C. Chapman, and others. The Navy "Y" can still make use of novels and story magazines.

AIMED at facilitating deals between Chinese prospects and Japanese Manufacturers, a Museum of Commerce and Industry will be opened this fall in the new Mitsui Bank building on Kiukiang Road, the Shanghai "Mainichi" reported yesterday. The new organization will be patterned after the Japanese Museum of Commerce and Industry in Peiping. Representatives of firms displaying goods at the institution will be on hand to conclude deals with Chinese and other customers.

LOCAL Japanese bought Y.130,000 worth of Japanese war bonds in the eleven day period from August 22 to September 1, inclusive, Japanese dailies reported here yesterday. Sales of the bonds, which have been going on at the Bank of Chosen, the Mitsui Bank, the Mitsubishi Bank, the Yokohama Specie Bank, the Sumitomo Bank, the Bank of Taiwan, the Hankow Bank and the Shanghai Bank, were scheduled to cease yesterday. One of the largest blocks was bought by the Shanghai Japanese Residents' Corporation which subscribed to Y.30,000 worth of these patriotic bonds. "Baby bonds," each of Y.10 denomination, sold through post offices in Japan, were also put on sale here but were immediately oversubscribed.

UNION CHURCH will welcome to its pulpit at the morning service tomorrow at 10.45 the Rev. A. M. Chirgwin, general secretary of the London Missionary Society, who during the past week has been attending a series of conferences of his mission colleagues, in Shanghai, and next week is starting on a tour of a number of stations in various parts of the country. The activities of the London Mission date back to the very early days of foreign residence in Shanghai, and include the establishment of churches and schools and the foundation of what is now known as the Lester Chinese Hospital. Union Church has been closely linked with the London Mission for many years, and it is expected the visit of the Mission's chief executive will be marked by a large congregation at tomorrow's service.

THE collaboration of the English Soprano, Miss Barbara Gilmar, has been secured for tonight's Municipal Orchestra Concert to be held in Jessfield Park at 9 p.m. (weather permitting). Miss Gilmar has chosen for the first part of the programme two English songs: "Down in the Forest" by Landon-Ronald and "I attempt from Lovesickness to fly" by Purcell. Puccini's aria from La Boheme "Mi chiamano Mimi" and Mascagni's "Aria of Santuzza" from Cavalleria Rusticana will also be rendered by the soprano in the second half of the programme and in these selections she will have full opportunity to show her very fine voice and vocal abilities.

The full programme follows:—

Overture "Guarany" .....Gomez
Gipsy Suite .....German
(a) Valse Melancolique (Lonely Life)
(b) Allegro di bravura (The Dance)
(c) Menuetto (Love Duet)
(d) Tarantella (The Revel)
Two Songs with Orchestra acc.
(a) Down in the Forest
Landon-Ronald
(b) I attempt from Lovesickness to fly
Purcell
Vocalist: Miss Barbara Gilmar
Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 .....Liszt
Grand Selection "Der Trompeter von Saekkingen" .....Nessler
Trumpet Solo: Mr. V. Dobrovolsky
Two Opera Arias
(a) "Mi chiamano Mimi" from "Boheme" .....Puccini
(b) "Aria Santuzza" from "Cavalleria Rusticana" ..Mascagni
Vocalist: Miss Barbara Gilmar
March from "Tannhauser" .....Wagner

Reception Aboard New Jardine Ship

Many Shanghailanders Inspect New Coaster; Modern Equipment

The Indo-China Steam Navigation Company were "at home" yesterday morning aboard their new coaster Wingsang, where they received over two hundred prominent members of the local community, among whom were: Mr. G. Pickering of the Lloyd's Register of Shipping, Capt. P. I. Tirbak, the acting Harbour-Master, Mr. V. S. Hamill, the acting Assistant Harbour Master, Mr. L. R. Carrel, the Coast Inspector, Mr. W. C. Woodfield, Chief of the River Police, Mr. A. M. Parker, local General Agent of the Passenger Department of the Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd., Mr. J. A. Blackwood of the China Navigation Co., S/Insp. L. Grillon, in charge of the French Police station of Poste de L'Est, Mr. C. Black of Messrs. McKinnon Mackenzie & Co., and many others.

Gaily decorated with flags, the new ship presented a pleasant sight to the arriving guests who were met by the Capt. S. J. Barden, the Master and officers of the Wingsang who received the visitors and showed them the new vessel, after which "all the roads" led to the ship's dining room where various refreshments and buffet lunch were served. Most of the company's officials, including Mr. W. B. Rigder, Capt. A. R. Williamson, the Marine Superintendent, Mr. C. T. Tod, Commander F. H. E. Skyrme and Mr. G. Yates assisted at the reception, which ended at noon.

The vessel's many fine points, about which much was said in previous reports, were admired by yesterday's visitors. The Marconi Echometer, an electrical depth sounding apparatus making 45 soundings per minute, the Rich System of Fire Detection, and the Telemotor Steering Gear are some of the vessel's modern navigational aids; while her four one-piece steel hatches (two of which are 22 ft. by 18 ft.) are her additional safety features whose value can be fully appreciated by those who happened to witness a storm in an open sea.

The Wingsang sails from the Roosevelt Terminal Buoys today at 5 p.m. for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin. Her passengers are to be conveyed to the ship by tenders from the Customs Jetty, leaving at 9, 10 a.m. and noon; while a special tender reserved for the Saloon Passengers will leave the same Jetty at 4 p.m.

Former Policeman Stabbed to Death

Dismissed C.P.C. Said to Have Chided Partner

A Chinese named Mo Tsung-dao, who was formerly in the Settlement Police, was murdered in House 22, Lane 31, Shanse Road, early yesterday morning. His body, with deep stab wounds, was discovered shortly before sunrise by a coolie who works in the house. The coolie said he had left his master a short time before and that when he returned he saw Mo's partner running from the house.

Mo, who had been a police constable, was dimissed from the Force about four months ago. With another Chinese he started a small transportation business by boat on the creeks of Shanghai. A few days ago, however, he quarrelled with his partner over business matters. It is said that Mo severely chided his partner.

Detectives attached to the Louza Police Station are investigating the crime.

Duke and Duchess of Windsor on Italian Ship

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor, with friends and ship's officers, on board the Italian liner Conte di Savoia, on their way to Cannes.

Japanese Censorship of Reuter Messages Revealed

Many Details of C.N.A.C. Affair and Air Raids In Kwangtung Held Up; Tsingtao Wire Altered

Shanghai, Sept. 2.

FOR the information of their clients, Reuters publish herewith the texts of various telegrams despatched by their Hongkong Office to Shanghai, which were held up by the Japanese censors in Shanghai. The following four telegrams were despatched during the morning of August 24, concerning the C.N.A.C. disaster:

Hongkong 10.25 a.m.—"Chinese official sources state C.N.A.C. passenger plane from Hongkong to Wuchow with full load passengers shot down by Japanese planes Canton River Delta this morning."

Hongkong 10.30 a.m.—"C.N.A.C. admit plane forced down claiming passengers all safe. Company adds 'international complications probably occur' which is taken to indicate foreigners aboard plane."

Hongkong 10.45 a.m.—"Add C.N.A.C.: No shots hit plane but number Japanese pursuits continually dived over machine forcing it lower and lower until American pilot eventually made forced landing. Authoritative circles here say attackers believed Sun Fo aboard, but it now established Sun Fo still in Hongkong, although learned number other important Chinese officials aboard."

Hongkong 12.35 p.m. — "Official C.N.A.C. statement says, 'Plane forced down Yuetshing, 25 miles south-west Canton, landed shallow river, all passengers safe. Machine left Kaitak at 8.04 a.m. carrying 14 Chinese passengers, no foreigners. At 8.35 a.m. pilot wirelessed: Japanese planes pursuing —I am being forced land. At 8.38 a.m. pilot wirelessed: Succeeded landing all safe.

It appears now Sun Fo actually left for Hankow by Eurasia plane this morning, having at first intended travel C.N.A.C. plane, and it believed almost certain Japanese planes thought Sun Fo aboard C.N.A.C. machine."

It is now also revealed that two other telegrams, despatched from Reuter's Hongkong Office to Shanghai, were held up by the censors. Both were despatched on June 16. The texts of these two telegrams ran:

Hongkong 4.20 p.m.—"Canton. Officially claimed six unescorted Japanese bombers brought down at Lokchong near Kwangtung Hunan border this morning. It stated slow-moving crafts which engaged bombing Canton-Hankow railway were attacked by 10 swift Chinese pursuits, who flew rings around raiders, continuously machine-gunning them and crashing them one by one. Canton is elated at news and populace, feeling terrific reaction from recent bombings, going wild with joy."

Hongkong 11 p.m.—"Canton. City this evening in state complete jubilation following official despatches carrying colourful description air battle at Lokchong. These state squadron Japanese bombers flew from Amoy, through Fukien, visiting Namhung, Szehing and Lokchong, and were surprised latter place by Chinese pursuits. Stated one raider brought down at Lienhsien, one at Kaukong, one at Mabar, three at Lokchong. The latter already located and bear numerical marks 707, 7958. 21079, together with Japanese factory marks. Machines are twin-engined heavy bombers carrying five airmen apiece. It is added that Chinese pursuits hovered at 18,000 feet awaiting raiders, then swooped giving enemy no chances, slow bombers being completely at mercy swifter Chinese pursuits."

None of the above telegrams have been released to Reuter's Shanghai Office, even yet, by the Japanese censors.

Copies From Hongkong

Reuters have been able to receive the texts of these telegrams only through the action of their Hongkong Office, which has now supplied copies of the telegrams as sent from Hongkong.

Incidentally, all the above telegrams were sent from Hongkong to London, where they were duly published.

Reuters also consider it their duty to their clients to inform them of another censoring incident which occurred to a telegram in transit between Reuter's Tsingtao and Shanghai offices.

On July 7, Reuter's Tsingtao Office despatched the following cable:

"Briton, Jock Crichton, stopped by Japanese sentry for smoking cigarette Commercial Wharf this morning. Crichton extinguished cigarette and apologized, whereupon sentry slapped his face."

The only telegram received from Tsingtao by Reuter's Shanghai Office on July 7 ran:

"Briton, Jock Crichton, stopped by Japanese sentry for smoking cigarette Commercial Wharf this morning. Crichton extinguished cigarette and apologized, whereupon sentry let him go."—Reuter.

"Friendly" Squabble Ends in Tragedy

Story of Two Barbers in An Alleyway

Arrested after a fight in which a barber was killed, Yeu Vung-chao, also a barber, was remanded by the First Special District Court yesterday for further investigation.

The fatal fight was reported to have resulted from a friendly squabble in an alleyway off Foochow Road late on Thursday afternoon. At the very beginning, one attempted to tease the other. This developed into an argument, and blows were exchanged. The barber was said to have been struck in the chest by the accused and died later.

A Chinese police constable soon arrived on the scene and arrested the accused. The latter admitted having had a fight with the other barber, but denied that he wanted to kill him. The hearing was adjourned until next week.

Captain, Crew of Stranded Vessel Released

Sapporo, Hokkaido, Sept. 2.

Cleared of suspicion of having violated Japanese navigation and military secrets protection acts, the captain and crew of the Swedish freighter Fermia which ran aground off Nemuro on August 27, were released by the Japanese police yesterday. Included were Capt. Hugo Johnson, thirteen Swedes, seven Norwegians, two Danes and three Americans.—Domei.

Mill-workers Charged With Theft

Misappropriation Case in Changchow Court

In the first big criminal case to be heard by the Changchow district court since it was reorganized following the hostilities, six employees of the Da Sheng Cotton Mill, Changchow, were recently charged by the mill manager with having misappropriated $40,000 in cash, 25 gold rings, four pairs of gold ear rings, two gold "shoes" weighing 50 ounces each, and a quantity of other valuables, Chinese reports said yesterday.

The defendants were alleged to have taken away the valuables from the mill premises when the owners and manager of the mill and their families evacuated Changchow during the hostilities. Defendants denied the accusations.

Peiping Officials to Learn Japanese

Peiping, Sept. 2.

For the purpose of "facilitating the cause of Sino-Japanese friendship," the Ministry of Industries of the Peiping "Provisional Government" has opened several Japanese classes for its employees.

These classes meet for one hour every afternoon after office, and are in charge of Japanese language teachers.

It is stated that, with the exception of those who already speak Japanese fluently, all the Employees of the Ministry attend these classes. —Reuter.

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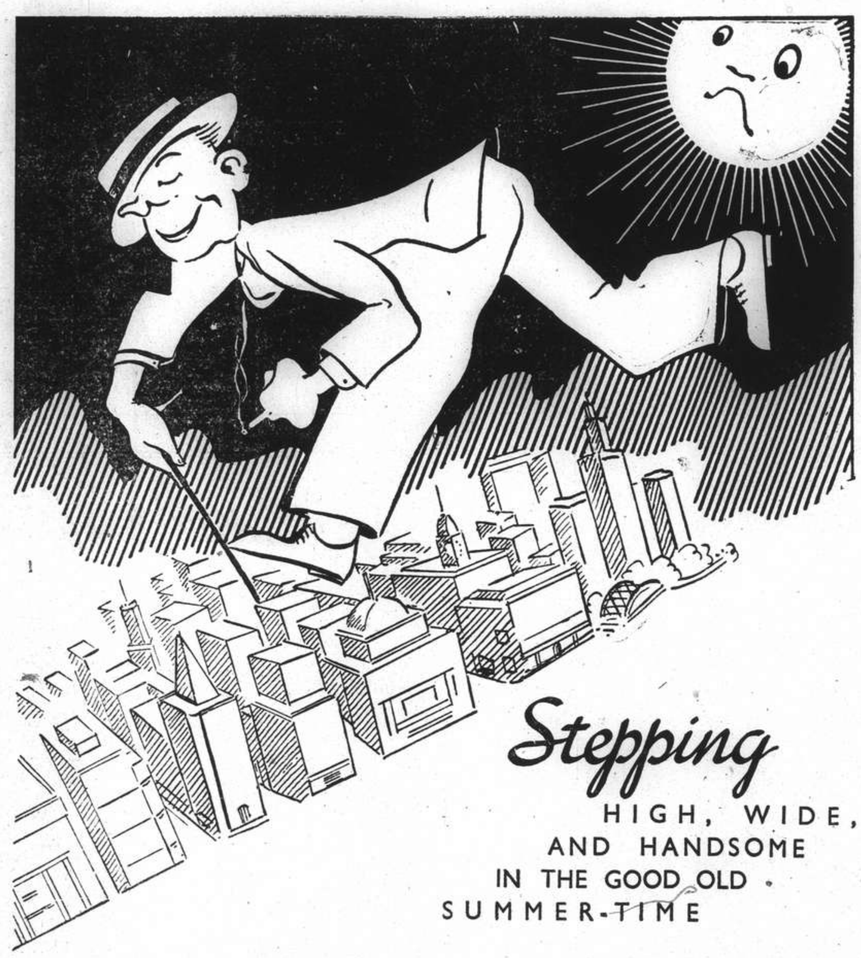

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Allessandri Scores T.K.O.

Jock Creighton Puts Up Plucky Battle for Six Rounds Before Succumbing to Popular Italian

THE eagerly awaited clash between Gaspare Allessandri, light-weight champion of China and local Italian idol, and "Smiling" George Levchenko, Shanghai welter, recently knocked out by Andre Shelaeff's thundering fists, did not materialize last night to the disappointment of a large Canidrome crowd, but they had their money's worth when Jock Creighton, former welter-weight champion of China and grand old veteran of the ring defied Anno Domini in an effort to stage a comeback.

As was expected youth triumphed over age, Allessandri winning on a technical knockout at the end of the sixth round when Jock Creighton's towel came fluttering from his corner signifying defeat. Grand sportsman that he is, Allessandri, who made no complaint when asked to fight a substitute, rushed over to Creighton's corner and held his arm aloft.

A past master at in-fighting, Creighton attempted to crowd his man in the opening round and his tactics appeared to be successful, but Allessandri, with youth on his side was content to let the veteran do most of the work. Both were attacking strongly at the end of the round, with the crowd voicing its appreciation of Creighton's efforts in no mean way.

Round two saw the wily Creighton, who appeared to be standing the pace well, keep Allessandri out of reach with his bobbing and weaving tactics. Towards the end of the round, however, the Italian Grenadier opened out with a barrage of rights and lefts and Creighton covered up in an attempt to escape the blows. He looked very tired as he went to his corner, and his seconds worked hard on him.

Creighton Absorbs Punishment

Coming out for the third round Creighton waded into his man as before, and Allessandri was forced back. Slowing up, however, Creighton absorbed plenty of punishment as the lightweight threw out heavy punches and the fight lost a little of its interest as the veteran retreated time after time from the champion's attacks.

In the next round he earned the plaudits of the crowd as he attempted to sling out blows at Allessandri who took them easily when they landed. Appearing to take things easily Allessandri went after his man all the time and Creighton was blowing heavily at the bell.

Lashing out with heavy punches in Round 5, Allessandri shook the veteran time after time, but Creighton, bleeding from the mouth, was as game as ever, and with the crowd urging him on he attempted to mix it. Meeting him as he came in Allessandri stopped him with rights and lefts and the veteran was forced to retreat around the ring.

Blow After Blow

Allessandri, now thoroughly warmed up rained blow after blow at the former champion in the sixth round and Creighton appeared to be in bad shape. Grimly hanging on, he caught the Italian with a few blows but they had lost their sting, as he took more and more punishment cries of "Stop it," were heard from over the hall. Going back to his corner at the end of the round, Creighton indicated that he had enough and the towel was thrown in by "Whitey" Walsh his second.

Loud cheers greeted Allessandri as he congratulated his opponent and raised his arm to the crowd, and when both men left the ring the applause was resumed. Not a very hard test for the Italian lightweight, who is eager to meet Shelaeff in the near future, the fight did not show whether Allessandri would be able to concede weight to the Harbin Wonder Boy, and it is hoped that Levchenko's poisoned finger rapidly heals quickly in order that an opponent may be found for the Orient and China welter champion before he shakes the dust of China from his feet.

The semi-final bout of the evening saw Peter Lojnikoff local Russian battler and Joe Clara, popular Manila fighter, seconded by Young Alde, share the honours after eight rounds of even fighting. The opening rounds appeared to be rather in the Russian boy's favour, but the Filipino came back strongly in the latter rounds and some heavy exchanges were seen. The decision had a mixed reception, the majority of the crowd favouring Lojnikoff.

In a fast-moving bout of six rounds duration, Paul Lojnikoff, Peter's brother, earned a points decision over Jackie Parks, winner of his last three fights in Shanghai, while Louie Lehmans of the Fourth Marines outpointed Private Mardensky of the Russian Regiment. Possessing a decided advantage in height and weight, Lehmans attacked throughout the bout and the crowd were astonished by Mardensky's ability to weather a storm of blows which would have knocked-out the majority of fighters in Shanghai.

Making his first appearance in the Canidrome ring Mike McTeage of H.M.S. Duncan surprised everyone by his ability to give out punishment and to take it. His opponent, Private Grabovsky of the Russian Regiment, appeared to be out on his feet several times, but later came back strongly to almost finish the British sailor. In the last round both fighters were very tired and appeared to be on the averge of collapse. A draw was a popular verdict.

Detailed Results

G. Allessandri T.K.O.ed Jock Creighton in the 6th.

Joe Clara (Manila 135 lb.) drew with P. Lojnikoff (Shanghai 135 lb.).

Paul Lojnikoff (Shanghai 132 lb.) outpointed J. Parks (Shanghai 128 lb.).

L. Lehmans (Marines 158 lb.) outpointed Mardensky (R.R. 154 lb.).

M. McTeage (H.M.S. Duncan 135 lb.) drew with Grabovsky (R.R. 135 lb.).

W. Loper (Marines 142 lb.) outpointed Melishkin (R.R. 141 lb.).

B. Manahan (Shanghai 126 lb.) drew with Cruz (Shanghai 126 lb.).

P. Morang (French Army 115 lb.) outpointed Smiling Boy (Singapore 115 lb.).

Japan's Hotel Men Not Ready for Olympiad

Hope for Games in 1944 At Peiping

Hongkong, Aug. 30.

Japanese hotel men are not in the least pertubed by the cancellation of the 1940 Olympic Games in Tokyo, according to Mr. George Riley, Manager of the Hotel New Yorker of New York City.

Mr. Riley is taking a five months' trip as "round-the-world goodwill envoy" representing the Ralph Hitz hotel interests in connection with the New York World's Fair.

"I asked the Japanese hotelmen if they were disappointed because the Olympic Games were not being held in Tokyo," Mr. Riley told the United Press. "They said it was just as well because they were not quite prepared for the games from a hotel point of view.

Absence of Soldiers

"One of them found consolation by saying it would really be better to wait another four years when Japan would be able to hold the Games on a more elaborate scale at Peiping!"

While in Japan, Mr. Riley said, he was greatly impressed by the almost total absence of soldiers.

"In the United States during the world war," he said, "there were soldiers everywhere, it seemed, but apart from a very scattered few at the station at Tokyo, I saw scarcely any soldiers anywhere in Japan.

"I didn't see many in Shanghai either, although one was more conscious of the war there.

"But here, in Hongkong, with the war at the doorstep, I feel as safe as a pound piece in the Bank of England," Mr. Riley said.—United Press.

Success in Sport Aids R.A.F. Recruiting

The success of A. H. Gibbons, Royal Air Force, Tottenham Hotspur and amateur English international forward, in the football world has been a great incentive to recruiting for Britain's air arm states a report from Home. Gibbons, who was ordered by the R.A.F. to find a club nearer his deport at Uxbridge, is willing to sign amateur forms for Brentford, but until the results of and official enquiry by the R.A.F. and the Football League are known, Gibbons will remain a member of the Tottenham club, who have lodged a protest against his being transferred to Brentford.

Brentford are willing to purchase Gibbon's discharge from the R.A.F., in which case he will sign professional forms for the club. It is stated that Gibbons is keen on this idea and it is probable that he will don the Brentford jersey during the coming season.

Cricket Club American Tennis Tournament

The Shanghai Cricket Club will hold its second seasonal American tennis tournament tomorrow and those who have entered are reminded that play will begin at 10 a.m. sharp. Tiffin will be served at about 1. p.m.

Parry in Bowls Singles Final

Defeats Harvey by Good Margin in Semi-final to Meet Wallace for Title

The remaining semi-final of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Singles Championship was played off yesterday evening, T. S. Parry defeating A. Harvey by 21 shots to 8 in a game which lasted 16 ends. Two fellow skips of the 'Blues,' Parry and Wallace, will therefore meet in the final.

In spite of the discrepancies in the closing scores, yesterday's match was a good one. Harvey opened the scoring by taking a single and a 2 in the first two ends. Parry then took matters in hand winning the next four ends, the sequence culminating with a 3 at the 6th which left the shots at this stage of the game 8-3 in his favour. Two singles by Harvey brought his side of the score-board up to 5 but his opponent then produced a very useful 4. Harvey followed this with a 2. A single and two 2's by Parry made his shots 17 at the 13th end whilst Harvey registered 7. Two singles then followed, one each.

At the beginning of the 16th, Parry was leading by 18-8. He was lying one and the game concluded by Harvey bumping up a couple of his opponent's woods, leaving Parry with the three shots he required for game.

Conditions towards the close of the match were somewhat difficult on account of the rain which commenced during the last few ends.

T. S. Parry	Ends	A. Harvey
0	1	1
0	2	3
2	3	3
3	4	3
5	5	3
8	6	3
8	7	4
8	8	5
12	9	5
12	10	7
13	11	7
15	12	7
17	13	7
17	14	8
18	15	8
21	16	8

Gala Day Tomorrow

Sunday will be something of a Gala Day for the Lawn Bowls Club when the 'Reds' and the 'Blues' meet in the league. Interesting games will certainly be seen and it is rumoured that there will be a particular reason for high scores, four particular reasons, in fact. Other members of both teams are asked to be at the Club before 3 p.m. as additional rinks will be arranged.

Thomson Saves Club From Defeat

Combined Schools Beaten In Low-scoring Match

An S.C.C. XI only managed to beat a Combined Schools XI in a two-day evening cricket match yesterday by 27 runs. A low scoring game in which the Schools could only amass 52 in the initial innings, and the S.C.C. 72 in the succeeding knock, was featured by a good 26 by C. E. M. Thomson and some excellent bowling by Burn who returned the imposing figures of 6 for 25.

The S.C.C. resumed their innings at 5.07 p.m. having lost two wickets for 8 runs on the previous day. This unsatisfactory state of affairs showed no improvement upon the resumption, and wickets began to fall immediately and continued to fall at an alarming speed until Thomson and McCullum became associated. The score at that time read 28 for six wickets, Burn and Fletcher being most effective in the attack. Thomson however put a stop to the rot by forcing the pace (the light was failing badly) and eventually with the assistance of McCullum and Lawrence, was able to surpass the Schools' total.

Friday: Combined Schools All Out for 52.

An S.C.C. XI

G. T. Gambling, b. Burn	0
E. T. Sluis, c. Ragi, b. Burn	0
J. R. Kale, b. Burn	3
L. D. Beattie, b. Fletcher	8
W. E. Tingle, b. Burn	4
R. F. Scott, b. Fletcher	4
D. McCullum, b. Fletcher	13
C. E. M. Thomson, b. Ragi	26
L. Lawrence, b. Burn	8
R. H. Goodwin, b. Burn	1
A. Lingard, not out	3
Extras	3
Total	79

Bowling Analysis

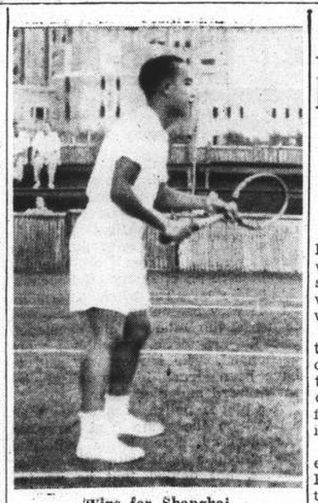
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Burn	9	1	25	6
Fletcher	8	0	42	3
Ragi	1	0	9	1

1940 Olympic Games For Norway ?

Paris, Aug. 29.

The 1940 Olympic Winter Games will be held in Norway, competent French sporting circles intimated today. The date and exact site of the Games have not yet been established, however, they added.

The last Winter Games were held at Garmisch-Partenkirschen, while the 1940 Winter Olympiad was originally intended for Japan.—Havas.



Wins for Shanghai

T. C. Chang who yesterday defeated M. Ferber in the Second Singles in the first match of the Interport Series with Tientsin.

Army Cup Polo Final This Afternoon

Ewo Expected to Win in Spite of Big Handicap

By "The Chaser"

The climax of the Army Cup Tournament will be reached this afternoon when the powerful Ewo-Riggio, W. J. Keswick, John Keswick and Pollock—who have swept away all oppositions in the preliminary rounds, clash with the Durhams—Humphreys, Fanning Evans, Luard and Arderne—another team that has come through without a defeat, in the final match today at 4 o'clock.

There is every indication of it being a good match, in view of the fact that Ewo, as a much stronger and more experienced team, is conceding the Durhams nine goals handicap, and that is a lot to give, in a four chukker match, to a good six-goal team, but the general consensus of opinion is inclined towards Ewo's success. However, if they do win it won't be easy

The Army Cup was presented for annual competition in 1928 by the British Army and has been the source of keen competition every year. Mrs. Macfarlane, wife of Capt. Macfarlane of the Seaforth Highlanders, will present the Cup and miniatures to the winning team at the conclusion of the match and by kind permission of Major Heslop and Officers of the 1st Br. Durham Light Infantry, the Band will play during the afternoon.

Added Attraction

In the way of an added attraction, an exhibition has been arrange between two Club teams. One team (Krikoriantz, Telfer-Smollett, Hornby and Lutey) will represent Hungjao while the other (Du Rivau, N. F. Allman, H. A. White and Heyn) will represent the good old Kiangwan—the scene of many a battle royal, Interports, Tournaments and numerous competitions.

There is little difference in handicap between the two teams which have been evenly match; in fact, there is only one goal difference—Hungjao eleven and Kiangwan twelve.

The most entertaining part of the day's schedule will no doubt be the Army Cup dinner tonight, at the Metropole Hotel.

Australians Win By Ten Wickets

An England XI Defeated In Uninspiring Match at Blackpool

London, Sept. 2.

The uninspiring match between an England team, and the Australians, which opened at Blackpool with low scores on both sides, ended in a victory for the Australians by ten wickets.

England, who had hit up 33 runs in their second innings at the conclusion of the first day's play, struggled through to within one run short of a century, the Australians accounting for 58 for no wickets in their second innings by the close of play.

Similarly poor scores were witnessed in the match between Notts and Kent at Dover, which Notts won by ten wickets.

Kent hit up a mere 84, and followed on with 122, while Notts accounted for 133, and 74 for no wickets.

Somerset trounced Leicester at Taunton by an innings and 140 runs.

Details:—

At Lord's—Australians beat an England team by ten wickets. England team, second innings, 99 (O'Reilly five for 44. Ward four for 20). Australians, second innings, 58 for no wicket.

At Dover—Notts beat Kent by ten wickets. Kent 84 (Voce seven for 39), and 122 (Voce six for 53). Notts 133 (Watt five for 33) and 74 for no wickets.

At Taunton—Somerset beat Leicester by an innings and 140 runs. Leicester 113 (Andrews six for 56), and 179 (Wellard five for 37). Somerset 432 (Lee 55).—Reuter.

Sports Programme This Week-end

Today

CRICKET:—Knockout Competition.—Nomads *v.* Tyros on S.C.C. Ground at 1.30 p.m.; Wanderers *v.* Colts on Recs Ground at 1.30 p.m.; Police *v.* Staff and H.Q. on Police Ground at 1.30 p.m.

BASEBALL:—2nd Battalion *v.* Headquarters, Race Course, 2 p.m.; Amateurs *v.* U.S.S. Asheville, about 4 p.m.

POLO:—Army Cup final.—Ewo *v.* Durhams, Race Course, 4 p.m.

TENNIS:—Interport with Tientsin.—First Singles.—L. D. Carson *v.* Gordon Lum, Association Court (C.S.F.); Roper Cup final.—America (L. D. Carson and R. D. Boyer) *v.* Britain (L. F. Stokes and W. A. H. Duff).

LAWN BOWLS:—S.L.B.C. and Y.B.C. —Spoon Game; Semi-finals of pairs championship.

Tomorrow

CRICKET:—Knockout Competition.—Stragglers v. Durhams-Seaforths on S.C.C. Ground at 1.30 p.m.

BASEBALL:—First Battalion *v.* U.S.S. Asheville 2 p.m., Race Course; Men Over 35 *v.* Men Under 35, Race Course, about 4 p.m.

TENNIS:—Interport with Tientsin.—Third Singles.—C. Le Bas *v.* H. Collaco; First Doubles.—G. Lum and M. Ferber *v.* L. D. Carson and W. A. H. Duff.

BOWLS:—League Matches.—S.L.B.C. Red *v.* S.L.B.C. Blue, Race Course; Recs *v.* Y.B.C. on Recs' greens, at 3.30 p.m.; Police *v.* H.G.C. on Police greens at 3 p.m. Friendly.—Country Club *v.* J.G.C. at 3.30 p.m.

Police Recreation Club Cricket Team

The following members have been selected to represent the Police XI against the Staff and H. Q. XI on the Police ground commencing at 1.30 p.m. today.

E. C. Baker (Capt.), A. C. Barton, B. B. Boddy, A. Abott, H. A. Sevenoaks, F. C. Woodley, F. Peasgood, D. E. Crank, S. V. Gash, J. R. Dudley, J. E. Fairbairn. Umpire.-F. T. McKeown. Scorer.-W. Hide.

Two League Baseball Games Today

2nd Battalion Meet Hq.; Amateurs Face Asheville

The schedule for the rest of the Shanghai Baseball League season has been revised, according to Capt. Karl K. Louther who is in charge of the season's fixtures. The list comprises eight more contests, including all "washed out" and postponed tussles.

The new arrangement will go into effect with a double-header this afternoon. Starting at 2 p.m., the Second Battalion are to meet the Headquarters "Orphans." Fifteen minutes after the completion of the opener the Shanghai Amateurs will play the U.S.S. Asheville.

Only one league contest is in the offing tomorrow but the programme will be augmented by a competition between men over and under 35 years of age. The first ball of the afternoon will be pitched by the U.S.S. Asheville against the leading First Battalion, commencing at 2 p.m. The First nine are two full games ahead of the Second nine, champions of last year and, as they still have four more games to play, the team needs to win three in order to be mathematically certain of the championship.

All plans for the Old-Young game have been completed, according to C. S. Hemsworth and Bill Lamneck, managers of the two respective sides. The elder pilot urges all veterans who still think they can throw, catch and bat to turn out and teach the younger ones how to win a game. It is emphasized that players need only bring their gloves as equipment, the remainder of the gear being furnished from the trunks of the Amateurs.

T. F. Mullahey, president of the S.A.A.A.A., will be calling behind the plate while Col. Cates and Pierce act as base umpires.

Carson Finds Stern Foe In Tennis Tourney

T. C. Chang Forces Local Champion in Close Match

An interesting match in the Shanghai men's singles championship took place on the S.L.T.A. court Thursday afternoon when L. D. Carson met T. C. Chang. Because of a leg injury sustained while playing on a sand court the other day, Chang had to quit after extending the local champion to a score of 6-4, 7-9, 6-4 and 5-3 in the fourth set.

The Chinese possessed skill in backcourt play as he was more than able to contest stroke for stroke. Chang's backhand proved a heavy weapon in pinning his adversary to the base-line for time and again the ultimate winner was outsmarted by utterly errorless retrieves.

Home Soccer Results

London, Sept. 2.

Norwich City lost to West Bromwich Albion by two goals to three in a Second Division League match played today.

In a Third Division, Southern Section match, Queen's Park Rangers beat Exeter City by five goals to nil.—Reuter.

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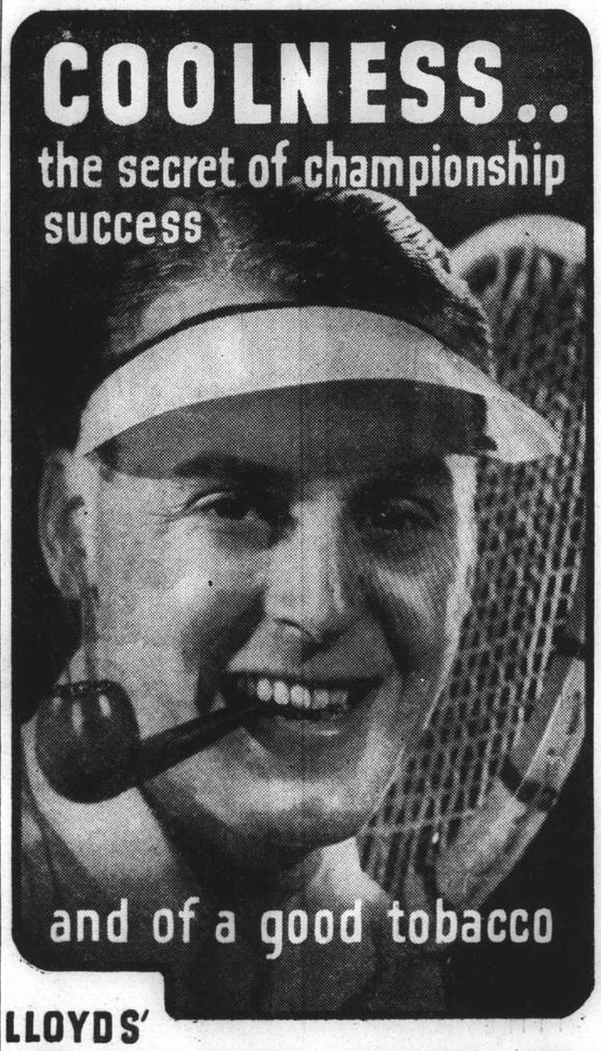

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Shanghai Captures First Two Interport Tennis Matches

Tientsin Defeated in Second Singles and Second Doubles; First Singles, Roper Cup Final Today

SHANGHAI gained a safe lead over Tientsin in the Interport tennis series when its representatives, three Chinese exponents, won both the second singles and doubles yesterday on the S.L.T.A. court before a small but enthusiastic crowd of around 150 people.

The local players were in distinctly superior form and took complete charge of the situation in both matches. The time in which Shanghai disposed of Tientsin was surprisingly short being not more than ten minutes over two hours.

T. C. Chang, who replaced C. C. "Dud" Squires in second singles, acquitted himself commendably by trimming M. Ferber in four sets at 6-1, 7-5, 0-6, 6-2. The second doubles, which took place later, resulted in Hubert "Poker" Tong and Harry K. F. Li taking the measure of R. A. H. Will and C. Le Bas. The Chinese won in straight sessions of three identical scores of 6-2.

Chang and Ferber set the series in motion and began their match promptly at 2.30 p.m. The opening set was a rout, as the Chinese broke Ferber's service and reeled off four successive games. The visitor was in a helpless position as he found that the local player handled with despatch everything he sent over. Time and again the northerner ran out of position as he tried to combat with Chang, who at the outset was the careful, calculating worker, abstaining from forceful measures and letting his opponent carry the fight to him but weighing every stroke with deliberation and keeping on the pressure with souned return. Chinese was a waiting game in which he carried his point by letting Ferber take most of the risk and make the errors in lengthy driving sessions.

Ferber Changes Tactics

It required the northerner a set to become accustomed to Chang's courtcraft. Ferber cleverly changed his tactics and was determined not to fight it out on the base-line. As a result, the trailer tried soft shots to lure his adversary up towards the net. Right away, play grew close and interesting. Chang won the first game on service and the next three games went also to the servers before the Chinese bagged the fifth and sixth games for a lead of 4-2.

Ferber rallied, abandoning attempted passing shots and resorting to the lob. The Tientsin star was successful in his endeavour and tied the score for the third time by breaking Chang's service game for the first time. Chang played with added interest and more zeal to win the next game at love. Ferber saved two match points in the tenth game to bring the tally to a fourth deadlock before yielding the second set in a row by 7-5.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Poker Tong

Before the third session got under way Chang unloosened his wrist band but things began to crop up against him. He lost two consecutive games, the first on his service by 40-30 and the next by 40-15. The local delegate bucked in the third frame but he failed to reduce the margin, although he carried the game to deuce. Then he determined to give up the set and dropped the remaining games to enable his rival to win by 6-0.

The interval of ten minutes brought the leader back to earth. He set the pace and was once more at his best, not only hitting his ground strokes freely and accurately but also volleying fairly well. Chang conceded only two games, the fourth and the sixth, before putting Shanghai one match ahead of Tientsin.

Local Doubles Victory

The loss of the second doubles match by three 6-2 sets was rather disappointing to Tientsin hopes, but on the day's play Li and Tong were much too good. The Chinese couple had a slow start in losing the first two games but woke up in time to level matters. Breaking Will's service, the comers opened in whirlwind fashion, Li playing his best and Tong giving him better support than usual. It was surprising to see Li, in his first big game of his career, perform in such a cool and steady manner. His service was killing and volleying so decisive that he gave both Will and Le Bas no quarter. Tong stood out with his soft tricky volleys when his partner was serving.

Will, however, was fairly good on the general run of the match. He possessed a strong orthodox way of serving, winning three times and losing as many in six service games. He was somewhat poorly assisted by Le Bas, who was nothing like his usual self. It must be admitted, nevertheless, that his shaky display was due entirely to the pressure put on him by the opposition. In other words, he was never given the chance to pull himself together and make headway.

Will commenced the second set by winning a love game. He flashed across two ace shots and then on his next deliveries he forced both Tong and Li to hit out. At this juncture it looked as if the visitors had re-asserted themselves and settled down to serious business. Tong served and lost the first point before winning the next two. Li did fine work at the net as he tapped over two tricky volleys off Le Bas on both occasions. Will returned with a hard drive and tied the score at thirty-all. Tong captured the next point but again was held down and the game went to deuce. Twice the game was deuced before Tong brought off two points in succession.

Grim Fight

The fourth game saw another grim fight, with Will and Le Bas struggling desperately to close the gap of 3-1. Will was especially zealous but he and his teammate once more encountered hard luck, losing after deuce again. In the next two games Tong and Li had things their own way to win by two 40-15 tallies for a big lead of 5-1. The Chinese became careless in the seventh when they failed to make good after deuce, thereby causing the score to read 5-2. Li took the next service and ended the session, 6-2.

It was Shanghai's turn to shoot off in the third set, with Tong and Li making accurate returns of Will's service and winning at love.

Important Matches Today

Much depends on today's fight, starting also at 2.30 p.m., in the first singles between Gordon Lum (Tientsin) and Lewis D. Carson (Shanghai). Lum, since his return from the 1938 Davis Cup campaign, has not been seen locally. Lum's victory would mean the third singles and first doubles will be staged tomorrow while a win for Carson would enable Shanghai to capture the pennant outright.

Following the singles clash, Great Britain will meet America in the final of the Roper Cup International Doubles. The British team are generally expected to come out on top as America is weakened by the absence of Squires, who was sick. Carson will therefore pair up R. D. Boyer, the U.S. Marine champion.

Will Greenberg Surpass Babe Ruth's Record?

It Would Mean a Fortune To Any Batter

New York, Aug. 28.

Any moment now some enterprising reporter is going to get hold of Hank Greenberg, first baseman of the Detroit Tigers, and get an exclusive interview concerning his chances of bettering Babe Ruth's record of 60 home runs in one season.

In a burst of confidence, and with a warning not to repeat it to a soul, Greenberg is going to tell the reporter something very much like this:

"To tell you the truth, I haven't given the business of breaking Babe's record a thought. I've just been going up there and taking my cut at the ball and letting what happens happen. I've been lucky lately, that's all. There never was a home run hitter like Babe, and I don't guess there ever will be."

When I read this interview—and it's coming, just as sure as tomorrow is—I am going to say "cashew," which is just another way of saying "nuts."

Fortune Waiting

Don't you ever believe that a fellow with as sound mental equipment as Greenberg doesn't realize what it would mean to him to beat the mighty Ruth's mighty mark. Ruth made a fortune out of it. A fortune awaits Greenberg if he tops the mark that for a while appeared as if it might stand for all time.

All the things that came to Ruth would come to Hank, whose ancestral home stands proudly in the Bronx, only a few blocks from the Yankee Stadium where Ruth rose to fame and fortune. We would have a Greenbergian era just as we had a Ruthian era. Hank's homers would become known as "typical Greenbergian swats" just as Babe's were always referred to as "Ruthian efforts or swats or pokes." He would be a man apart—a mighty man. The number on his back would become sacred, just as did red Grange's 77 and Ruth's 3.

It All Depends

A press agent would take him under his wing and build him into a great writer, a great talker, a great actor, a great lover of children (injured or uninjured), and a great endorser, ready to testify to the merits of everything from stainless steel chicken wire to bustles for women.

But will Hank Greenberg top Ruth's mark? It all depends on Hank, the stuff he's made of, and luck. It is the customary thing for home run hitters to go into a sad decline the moment they come within striking distance of 60 or more homers a year. The technical explanation for this decline is that they become "home run" conscious and start pressing—start trying to make every hit a homer. Pressing destroys the fluency of their swing and they get no hits, homers or anything else. Ruth banged out 17 homers in the final month of the 1927 season.—United Press.

White City Pays £10,046 In Prize Money

London, Aug. 27.

The White City has paid out £10,046 in prize money during the first half of this season's greyhound racing.

This enormous sum will certainly be exceeded by the amount to be paid out in the remaining half of the season, for the bulk of the year's White City major open events are yet to be run.

Of the £10,046 paid out already, £2,000 were accounted for by the Greyhound Derby final £500 by the Grand National Final, and £250 by the Wood Lane Stakes.—Reuter.

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Giants Ousted from Second Berth

Chicago Cubs and Redlegs Win Games to Climb Higher in National League

New York, Sept. 1.

With the National League leading Pittsburgh Pirates beating the New York Giants, 6-0, today, both the Cincinnati Reds and the Chicago Cubs climbed into second place.

The Reds entered the second berth without playing a game after snatching third place from the Bruins yesterday. The defeat of the Terrymen caused both the Reds and Cubs, who trimmed the Boston Bees, 4-2, to become co-tenants again.

The world champion New York Yankees and leaders of the American League tumbled before the Detroit Tigers but the Boston Red Sox and the Cleveland Indians came through with wins.

Crashing through with three markers in the seventh inning, the Pirates put the game in the bag against the Giants, 6-0.

Lloyd Waner led the batting parade with a triple and three singles.

Three-run Spurt

A three-run spurt in the second inning gave the Cubs enough lead to down the Bees, 4-2, despite a homer, the third successive one, by Vince DiMaggio.

Terry Moore led the St. Louis Cardinals to victory over the Philadelphia Phillies, 6-5, smashing out five singles in five trips to the plate.

The Phils attempted a last minute comeback and almost succeeded, hanging up two markers in the ninth. But the Cards pushed in a run and triumph by the single marker.

Bob Feller won the game for the Indians against the Philadelphia Athletics, 11-4, when he fanned eight men besides tripling and driving in two men.

A four-run barrage gave the Tigers a 6-3 win over the Yanks. George Coffman led the Bengals with a triple to drive in three men, while Tom Henrich poled out a four-bagger for the losers.

White Sox Win

The Chicago White Sox clinched the game against the Washington Senators, 11-6, after scoring three runs in the Eighth inning. Arnold Owen in four trips lashed out for a double and three single to chase in three men, while Al Simmons homered for the Nats.

Even a two-run rally in the ninth proved of no avail to the St. Louis Browns who went down before the Boston Red Sox, 5-3. Jimmy Foxx rapped out a home run as did Mike Kress.

Scores:—

National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	0	7	0
Pittsburgh	6	12	0

Batteries: Schumacher, Gumbert, Coffman and Danning; Klinger and Todd.

Boston	2	7	0
Chicago	4	6	1

Batteries: Lanning, Shoffner and Lopez; Bryant and O'Dea.

Philadelphia	5	12	3
St. Louis	6	12	2

Batteries: Hallahan, Mulcahy, Davis and Atwood; Davis and Owen.

Cincinnati-Brooklyn not scheduled.

American League

Cleveland	11	12	1
Philadelphia	4	7	3

Batteries: Feller and Hemsley; Ross, Smith, Williams, Thomas and Hayes.

Detroit	6	10	1
New York	3	8	1

Batteries: Coffman, Eisenstat and York; Pearson and Glenn.

St. Louis	3	7	1
Boston	5	8	1

Batteries: Newsom and Heath; Ostermueller, Heving and Peacock.

Chicago	11	18	2
Washington	6	9	1

Batteries: Lee and Schleuter; Kelley, Weaver, DeShong and Ferrell.

Team Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	74	48	.607
Chicago	68	56	.548
Cincinnati	68	56	.548
New York	67	56	.545
Boston	61	60	.504
St. Louis	59	65	.476
Brooklyn	55	67	.451
Philadelphia	38	82	.317

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	85	'39	.686
Boston	70	50	.583
Cleveland	69	53	.566
Detroit	63	60	.512
Washington	61	63	.492
Chicago	51	66	.436
St. Louis	44	77	.364
Philadelphia	43	78	.355

—United Press.

St. Leger Call-over

London, Sept. 1.

Following is the call-over for the St. Leger, to be run at Doncaster on September 7 over a distance of about 1 mile, 6 furlongs, 132 yards:

6-5 Pasch, taken and offered
6-1 Scottish Union, offered, 13-2 taken
7-1 Pound Foolish, taken and offered
15-2 Glen Loan, offered, 8-1 taken
100-7 Challenge
15-1 Ramtapa
25-1 Foroughi, taken and offered
22-1 Lali, offered, 33-1 taken
33-1 Magic Circle
50-1 Seventh Wonder
66-1 Appollonius, offered
66-1 Callias, offered

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5-4 Scottish Union, offered
5-4 Pound Foolish
6-4 Glen Loan, taken and offered
3-1 Challenge, offered
3-1 Ramtapa, offered.—Reuter.

Armstrong Will Fight Garcia November 2

Heavy-hitting Filipino Said Dangerous Foe

New York, Aug. 30.

Despite rumours that he was attemptnig to dodge a welterweight championship bout with Ceferino Garcia, hard-hitting Filipino, Henry Armstrong, world triple boxing champion, today signed a contract to clash with the leading 147-pound division contender for the world title on November 2, 1938.

Mike Jacobs, world's outstanding promoter and the "brains" behind the Twentieth Century Sporting Club, arranged the title bout. He announced that the actual terms for the bout would be released later.

The signing of papers between Armstrong and Garcia for a title bout on November 2 was not totally unexpected, although Armstrong indicated shortly after winning the lightweight championship from Lou Ambers that he preferred to meet a featherweight for the world 147-pound title prior to a battle with Garcia.

Although Garcia lost to Barney Ross on three occasions, the Filipino is generally considered as more dangerous foe than the former world welterweight champion who was recently badly beaten by Armstrong for the title. Garcia has terrific hitting power and is younger than Ross.

Because Armstrong suffered from the effect of Ambers' blows, many believe that he will not come through against the murderous punching of Garcia.—United Press.

Winter Olympics May Be Held in Finland

Helsinki, Sept. 2.

The Olympic Winter Games of 1940 will be held in Finland. The Finnish Olympic Committee decided after a prolonged debate yesterday to notify the International Olympic Committee, when that body meets at Brussels next Sunday, that Finland is willing to organize the Olympic Winter Games of 1940.

The programme of the winter games will be slightly curtailed, however. Ski contests will be decided at Lahti, famous Finnish winter resort, while all skating events and ice hockey competitions will be staged at Helsinki. Bobsleigh races will be decided at Kupio.

The Finnish Olympic Committee moreover decided at its session yesterday to add to the programme of the 1940 games football, water polo and canoe competitions. — Trans-Ocean.

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Final Swimming Gala Tonight

Six Championship Events To Be Held at Foreign Y.M.C.A.

After tonight the official swimming season will have come to a close as the last six championship events of the season together with the official programme will have been completed. Outstanding in tonight's gala at the Foreign Y.M.C.A. is the 220 yards men's free style wherein Toby Gavriloff is expected to break the local record. Other events of interest will be the men's 50 yards free style, and the ladies 50 yards backstroke.

Heats for the ladies 50 yards were held on Wednesday evening and Mrs. A. S. Johnston furthered her reputation as an outstanding swimmer by winning her heat in approaching record time. She was clocked in 38⅘ seconds, ⅘ of a second above the record set by the former Miss Vivienne Schmid. It is expected Mrs. Johnston will make every endeavour to break the local record tonight. She will meet with the closest competition from the Misses Jill Peach and Mary Clifton, with Miss Ling Mei Ling and Miss Vera Dodd likewise in the running.

In the men's 220 yards free style, Toby Gavriloff is expected to meet with close opposition from Archie Logan, and after the latter's fine showing in the 100 yards, it is quite on the cards that Gavriloff may not be able to add another trophy to his list, although he is certainly regarded as the better middle distance swimmer. It has been reported he has broken the local record several times in training and his supporters look forward confidently to a new mark tonight. Logan is expected to be well in at the finish, while L. Ball and J. A. Figueredo will also race.

Logan Should Win

In the men's 50 yards free style, Archie Logan holds the limelight, and with Gavriloff absent is expected to win fairly comfortably. Cyril Smith has been swimming very well in the sprints recently and should be well up, while the two Chinese Wan King Ling, and C. B. Chu together with the younger Smith make up the finalists.

The heats for the junior 100 yards revealed that A. Pure is expected to repeat his victory of the junior 220 but as both R. Hekking and he recorded the same time, 64 seconds, in the heats, he may be ousted in the final. Others in the race are R. Wyatt, J. Lumsdaine and J. Figueredo, and among these Lumsdaine is regarded as the most likely to give the former two the best fight in the finish.

The diving has attracted a fair entry in the men's event, but only Miss Audrey King is in the ladies', while the other important race of the evening is the interclub medley relay for the Vaughan Trophy wherein the Foreign Y.MC.A., Rowing Club, Fourth U.S. Marines and Chinese Union Swimming Association will contest for the handsome shield.

The remainder of the programme is made up of Club events, heats for which were held on Thursday evening and the following is the programme.

1. Men's 50 yards free style. (Shanghai Championship):—C. B. Chu, C. S. Smith, Wan Kin Ling, E. Smith, H. A. Logan.
2. Sweat shirt relay. (Junior Members):—
Whales:—Charles Butt, (capt.), Pet Ingmer, William Golding, Victor Douglas, Jack Goldenberg, Michael Chaikin, James Hoffmark, Marcal Gidumal.
Sharks:—Peter Gilchrist (capt.), Charles Ozorio, William Ruddem, Jalma Roza, Garty Karmiloff, Albert Ollerdessen, Ben Vitenson, George Dohse.
3. Junior 100 yards free style. (Shanghai Championship):—A. Pure, R. Wyatt, R. Hekking, J. L. Lumsdaine, G. Figueredo.
4. Women's 50 yards back stroke. (Shanghai Championship):—Miss Vera Dodd, Mrs. A. F. Johnston, Miss Jill Peach, Miss Ling Mei Ling, Miss M. Clifton.
5. Men's 100 yards free style. (Members):—S. Starkovsky, A. Pure, O. Strand, J. A. Figueiredo, H. Schloten.
6. Women's 50 yards free style. (W. S. S. Championship):—Miss D. Vickers, Miss A. Dudley, Mrs. H. McAllister, Miss E. Dudley.
7. Men's 220 yards free style. (Shanghai Championship):—L. Ball, J. A. Figueiredo, H. A. Logan, A. J. Gavriloff.
8. Fancy Diving. Women's and men's. (Shanghai Championship):—Miss A. King, G. J. Grilk, L. Rose, K. I. Koo, Y. S. Fong, G. Sonnenberg, P. H. Chen, T. S. Wang.
9. Members' 150 yards medley swim:—G. Figueiredo, R. Wyatt, J. Hall, A. Grebenchikoff, R. Hall.
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Marechal Joffre, Carthage Arrive

Two Empress Liners Due; Peter Maersk Expected Today at 7 a.m.

As previously announced the M.M. mv. Marechal Joffre arrives from Marseilles and way ports today at 5 p.m. and will berth at Hunt's Wharf from where her passengers will be conveyed to the Customs Jetty where they may be expected at about 6 p.m. The liner will leave for Kobe on Tuesday.

Local offices of the P. & O. state that their ss. Carthage should arrive from Europe and way ports today at about 7 p.m. and tie up to buoys 11-12 from which she sails on Monday for Kobe and Yokohama. Their freighter Soudan is on her way here from Europe and is due on Sunday; while the same company's ss. Bhutan should arrive from Kobe on the same day, and sail on the following day for Marseilles, Casablanca, Havre, London, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp via Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Aden, Suez and Port Said.

Arriving from Manila and Hongkong, the C.P. ss. Empress of Russia should berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, tomorrow at about 9 a.m. and her passengers reach the Customs Jetty by 10.30 a.m. Stopping here for only seven hours, the liner sails on the same day at 4 p.m. for Vancouver via Japan and Victoria. Passenger tenders leave the Customs Jetty at 12.30 and 3 p.m.

Another C.P. liner, the ss. Empress of Japan is expected from Vancouver and Japan, on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf. The arriving passengers should be at the Customs Jetty at about 11.30 a.m. while the ship leaves on the same day at 6 p.m. for Hongkong and Manila. Her outgoing passengers are to be conveyed to the liner by tenders from the Customs Jetty which will leave at 12.30, 2.30 and 4.30 p.m

Peter Maersk Arrives

Local offices of the Maersk Line announce that their mv. Peter Maersk is due today at 7 a.m. from Manila and Hongkong and will berth at the Old Ningpo Wharf from where she should leave on the following day for New York by the way of Japan, Los Angeles Panama and the Atlantic Coast ports.

Latest advices received from the local offices of the Blue Funnel Line state that their ss. Agamemnon sails today at 5 p.m. from buoys 15-16 for Marseilles, Casablanca, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow via Aden, while their ss. Eumaeus leaves Holt's Wharf today at noon for Japan ports. The same company's ss. Ixion is expected from the Pacific Coast ports on Monday morning and will berth at Holt's Wharf which she is to leave on Wednesday for Hongkong.

Another Blue Funnel ship, the ss. Deucalion, is on her way here from Liverpool and way ports and is to berth on Tuesday at Holt's Wharf, from where she leaves on the following day for Japan ports. The Glen Line ss. Glengarry is due from Europe and way ports at the same wharf on Monday at 6.30 a.m. She should sail on September 8 for Taku Bar and Dairen. The N.Y.K. ss. Nagasaki Maru sails from the company's wharf today at 9 a.m. for Nagasaki direct.

Coastal Shipping

According to present arrangements, the I.-C.S.N. Co. new coaster Wingsang is to proceed on her maiden voyage to Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin, from the Roosevelt Terminal Buoys, today at 5 p.m. Passenger tenders will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 and 10 a.m. and noon, while a special tender reserved for the saloon class passengers will leave the same jetty at 4 p.m.

The same company despatch the ss. Taiseunhong from the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf for Hongkong, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong, today at 9 a.m. Their ss. Tungwo and the ss. Fuhwo are expected this afternoon at the Peking Road jetty from the Yangtze delta and the latter sails for the river ports tomorrow at 7 a.m.; while the ss. Leesang sails from he Roosevelt Terminal Wharf for Chefoo, tomorrow at daylight.

Latest information received from the local offices of the C.N. Co. announces that their ss. Shengking sails from the French Bund today at 10 a.m. for Tsingtao (where she calls for passengers only), Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin; while the ss. Nanning leaves today at 5 p.m. for Ningpo. The same company's ss. Shengking sails from the French Bund tomorrow at 6 a.m. for Chuanchow, Amoy, Hongkong and Canton. Their ss. Chungking arrives at Pootung this afternoon from South China ports; while the ss. Wuhu is due at the French Bund on the same afternoon from Changkiakong for which port she leaves again via Hupukow, tomorrow at 6 a.m.

Among those who left yesterday in the ss. Kiungchow for Hongkong were:

Mrs. Lafon and two children, Miss Knox, Mrs. A. E. Farrell, Mr. W. G. Anderson, Mrs. H. W. Martin and child.

Stolen Counterfeit Notes Seized

Having risked the punishment of theft, Doong Wu-zang finds himself in jail today on quite a different charge. He was sentenced to ten months' imprisonment by the First Special District Court for having attempted to put into circulation counterfeit notes. Incidentally the notes, twenty new $1 notes of the Central Bank of China, were stolen from a passenger on a steam launch some time ago, so he admitted in Court yesterday. He was arrested while attempting to use some of them at the Ta Chong money exchange and cigarette shop at 1363 Gordon Road. The numbers printed on the notes were identical!

Indian Medical Unit Leaves for China

Bombay, Sept. 2.

The Indian Medical Unit, which is being sent to China for service with the Chinese forces in the field, left for China yesterday aboard the P. & O. ss. Rajputana.—Reuter.

Sharp Drop in Hankow Temperature

Hankow, Sept. 2.

There was a drop of 20 degrees in temperature during the night. Caught unawares with light coverings, Hankow's populace quickly went in search of warm blankets.—Reuter.

FUNERALS

Mr. James Frederick Moses

In the presence of relatives and friends, funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Hungjao Road Cemetery for the late Mr. James Frederick Moses, with Father F. X. Farmer, of the Sacred Heart Church, officiating. The deceased, son of the late Captain E. A. Moses, and formerly of Kobe, Japan, was employed with Messrs. L. Moore & Co., Ltd., auctioneers for the past three years. After a brief illness he died last Tuesday at Shanghai at the age of thirty-three years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Victoria Emily Moses, and two sons, David Edward, aged seven, and Ronald Sidney, aged five. The chief mourners at the services were the widow and two sisters, Lucy and Yadya. The pallbearers were Messrs. D. Mitchell, G. Valentine, W. D. Brown, Tang, E.W.G. Schweigert and S. Nemeth. Among those sending flowers were:—

Tong, Kenta, Mama and Sonny; Lawle, Marie, Cissy and Charlie; George; The Foreign Staff of L. Moore & Co., Ltd.; The Chinese Staff of L. Moore & Co., Ltd.; Mrs. A. M. d'Aquino; Philip d'Aquino; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bukley; H. Y. Ing; Mr. Kong Keh Chia; Mr. and Mrs. S. Lord; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Mitchell; Mr. Stephen Nemeth; H. S. Soo; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

Miss Alexandra Shevchanko

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Chapel of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road, for the late Miss Alexandra Shevchenko. Father Alexander Paevsky, of the Russian Orthodox Mission Church on Rue Paul Henry, conducted the last rites. Miss Shevchenko was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shevchenko and she died last Tuesday after an attack of diphtheria at the age of ten years.

The service was concluded with the sounding of "taps" by a member of the U.S. Fourth Marine Band. The deceased's father is an American World War Veteran and a member of the American Legion. The remains will be cremated and taken to the United States by the parents in the near future. The coffin was covered with a myriad of cut flowers and around it stood wreaths from:—

United States Marine Band, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Buttridge, Mrs. R. Grundt and family, N. G. Semin, Mrs. James T. R. Turner and others.

Presentation in Honour Of Det.-Sgt. Fowler

Representative Gathering at Police Club Function

A representative group of Police and other friends, including foreign and Chinese members of the special office dealing with political assassinations, paid tribute yesterday evening to Detective-Sergeant G. W. Fowler, a popular member of the force, whose marriage to Miss Maria G. Doodko takes place at H. M. Consulate-General at 10.30 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Fowler was the guest of honour at a presentation held in the Police Club, Foochow Road, where he was given a large mantelpiece clock for his future home. Detective Sub-Inspector J. G. Crighton spoke on behalf of the gathering and wished Mr. Fowler and his bride all happiness in their marriage.

The group present included members of S.M.P. Headquarters and station personnel and representatives of the press. Among those who attended were Detective Chief Inspectors J. W. Prince and Liu Shao-kwei, Detective Inspector H. C. Glover, Detective Sub-Inspectors Crighton, J. C. Dickson, J. J. Ross, C. A. Mason, F. A. Ewins and C. K. Liao, Detective-Sergeants H. Bretherton, J. Bradley, G. F. Rhodes and B. J. Wall, and Messrs. A. Goldberg and V. F. Meisling.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler will reside in the Embankment Building.

German-Hungarian Pact Denied

London, Sept. 2.

The Hungarian Premier, Dr. Bela Imredy, in an interview with a correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph," refutes rumours that a German-Hungarian pact has been concluded on the occasion of the visit of the Hungarian Regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, to Germany and that the Berlin-Rome axis has been extended to Budapest. In the event of war, Dr. Imredy declared Hungary would remain neutral.—Trans-Ocean.

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Carnegie Granddaughter As Bride

Mr. F. F. Gordon Thomson, Edinburgh lawyer, leaving Dornoch Cathedral, Scotland, with his lovely bride, the former Miss Louise Carnegie Miller, granddaughter of the late steel magnate, Andrew Carnegie. The reception was held at Skibo Castle, the Scottish estate of the Carnegie family.

Foreign Planes to Be Protected

Tokyo Spokesman Denies Intention to Attack Civil Machines

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

"In order to clear up any misunderstanding," a spokesman for the Foreign Office, in a statement today, declared that the Japanese forces would pay full attention to the safety 'planes belonging to third powers, as long as they specified their course, and gave other advice and information required.

Imperial Airways, it is claimed, complied with the Japanese request, made last February, to follow a fixed course in their flights to and from Hongkong.

As a result, it is stated, there has not been a single untoward incident.

It is emphasized that the Japanese forces have no intention of attacking any non-military Chinese 'plane as such, but they were not in the position to guarantee its safety when it came within the zone of operation of the Japanese forces.

"We believe this is quite proper," the spokesman went on, "because, firstly, it is extremely difficult to distinguish different types of aircraft.

"Secondly, even non-military 'planes are capable of serving for reconnoitring and other non-military purposes.

"Thirdly, Chinese 'planes have in the past frequently come to attack the Japanese forces, and to reconnoitre over Japanese positions.

"Moreover, they are not marked according to the fixed standard."—Reuter.

Man Injured at Fire Downtown

Two Shanse Road Houses Severely Damaged

A disastrous fire swept two Chinese shops, 354 and 358 Shanse Road, yesterday morning and caused one occupant to be burnt so seriously that he had to be removed to hospital.

The alarm was given at 8.23 o'clock, with engines from Central Fire Station responding. The firemen spent more than an hour at the scene fighting the flames, and it was reported that the fire had been extinguished at 9.27 a.m.

Both shops and a gate-house were severely damaged.

U.S. Power Resources To Be "Mobilized"

President Appoints New Organizing Committee

Washington, Sept. 1.

President Roosevelt today appointed a special committee of four men for devising an industrial mobilization plan to control the nation's electric power resources to strengthen America's ability to maintain essential industries in case of war.

The President requested the men to complete their plan within two months and asked that they strengthen America's position to a point "where no foreign Power will be able to bother us."

President Roosevelt appointed Mr. Louis Johnson, Assistant Secretary of War, as chairman of the committee.

Mr. Basil Manly, Federal Power Commissioner, Mr. Charles Edison, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and Mr. Frederic A. Delano, Chairman of the National Resources Board, were appointed members of the committee.

Mr. Johnson said that the committee would outline a programme which would make available to the Government all power resources the moment war would be declared and thus eliminate attempts by private power concerns to bottle up the Government's production efforts. The plan would permit unhampered production of essential war materials.

Mr. Johnson said coordination would affect at least fifteen cities which militarists regard as strategic manufacturing centres.—United Press.

Soldier's Body Recovered

Seaforth Private Found In River; Alleged Jump From Sampan

Following an extensive search by members of the Customs River Police the body of Private Bertie Reginald Durrant, aged 23, of the 1st. Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, was discovered by them at 10.30 a.m. yesterday morning floating off the Customs Jetty.

Reported to have engaged a sampan off Pontoon No. II of the Bund on Wednesday evening, the young soldier is stated to have told the sampan man to go towards Pootung. According to the operator of the boat the time was just after 11 p.m. and he reported that the soldier suddenly leaped overboard when they were near the Pootung side, defying his efforts to save him.

In the sampan were discovered a farewell note purported to have been written by Durrant, and the soldier's cap and belt and walking-out cane. The British military authorities were at once notified.

After the body had been discovered yesterday morning the British military authorities and H.M. Consul were notified and, at the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, to which the body had been removed, an inquest was formally opened by Mr. I. T. Morriss, H.M. Coroner.

Evidence of identification was given by Sergt. Richard Wilkes of the 1st. Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, who stated that the last time he saw Durrant was during the afternoon of Wednesday, August 31. Capt. G. H. George of the R.A.M.C. also gave evidence and the enquiry was then adjourned until September 7.

Durrant will receive a military funeral and will be buried in Hungjao Cemetery at 5 p.m. today.

Mexican Trade Mission For Japan

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

With hopes of influencing his government to send a Mexican economic mission to Japan in the near future, General Francisco Aguilar, Mexican Minister in Tokyo, will sail with his son for Mexico on September 15 in the Asama Maru.—Domei.

Changchow Mills Urged To Reopen

Lack of Funds, Fuel Keep Factories Closed

Lack of transport facilities, a shortage of funds and the inadequacy of fuel supplies were the difficulties which had prevented Chinese factories from reopening in Changchow, on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, owners said at a recent meeting called by the district magistrate of Changchow, according to Chinese reports.

Representatives from 35 factories attended the meeting when the magistrate urged the factory owners to reopen their plants at the earliest opportunity so as to provide thousands of unemployed with work. The magistrate stated the authorities were ready to do everything within their power to help both the factories and the workers.

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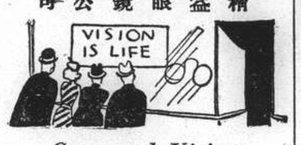

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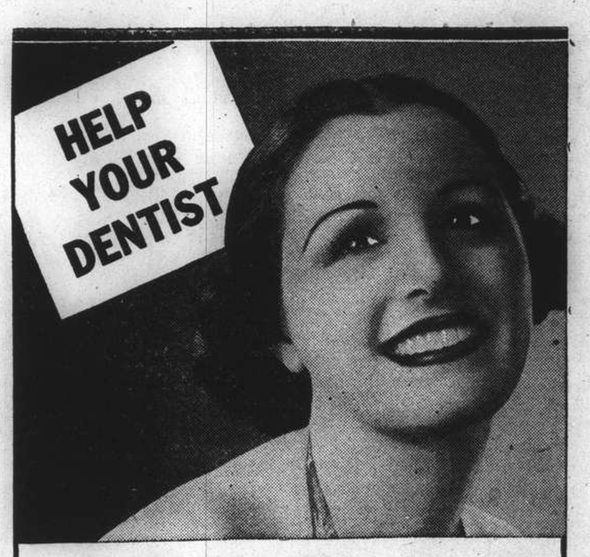

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REPORT No. 35/1938 for week ending September 2 (Friday), compiled by the Shanghai Stock Exchange

Comparative Opening Cash Prices (This Friday Morning September 2, 1938; Last Friday Morning August 26, 1938) and Business Recorded During Week Closing To-Day, Friday Morning

STOCK	This Fri. Buyers	This Fri. Sellers	This Fri. Last Sales	This Fri. Nom.	Last Fri. Buyers	Last Fri. Sellers	Last Fri. Last Sales	Last Fri. Nom.	Highest Cash	Highest Sept.	Lowest Cash	Lowest Sept.
Banks, Finance Companies												
Central Properties, Ltd.	....	....	....	12.60	....	....	....	12.60	....	....	....	....
China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	....	....	....	13.50	....	....	....	13.50	....	....	....	....
China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	....	....	....	0.35	....	....	....	0.35	....	....	....	....
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	*1,435	*1,455	....	*1,450	....	....	....	*1,450	*1,450	....	*1,450	....
Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China Ltd.	....	....	....	2.90	....	....	....	2.90	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	4.80	....	4.90	....	5	....	5	....	5.05	....	4.90	....
Union Mobiliere	....	....	....	18.50	....	....	....	18.50	....	....	....	....
Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	5.50	....	5.60	....	4.80	....	5	....	5.60	....	5.50	....
Insurances												
American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....
Asia Life Insurance Co.	50	....	25	....	50	....	25	....	....	....	....	....
Assurance Franco-Asiatique	....	....	....	81	....	....	....	81	....	....	....	....
International Assurance Co., Ltd.	....	....	3.30	....	....	3.50	3.50	....	3.30	....	3.30	....
Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.	*510	....	*500	....	*510	....	*510	....	*500	....	*500	....
Lands												
Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	169	....	....	....	169	....	....	....	....
Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	2.70	....	....	....	2.70	....	....	....	....
China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	....	....	0.50	....	....	....	0.50	....	....	....	....	....
Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine	....	....	....	171	....	....	....	171	....	....	....	....
Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....
do. "B"	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....
San Sing Properties, Ltd.	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	....	....	8	....	....	....	8	....	8	....	8	....
Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	....	....	99.50	....	....	....	99.50	....	....	....	....	....
Docks, Wharves and Transport												
New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	....	5	4	....	4	....	4	....	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	....	132	130	....	....	....	130	....	....	....	....	....
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	....	190	189	....	....	....	189	....	190	....	190	....
Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	21.25	22	21.50	....	21	....	21.25	....	21.75	....	21.25	....
Utilities												
China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	16.50	....	16.75	....	16.50	....	....	16	16.75	....	16.75	....
Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	....	9	8.50	....	....	9	8.50	....	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Telephone Company	....	....	60	....	60	....	63	....	60	....	60	....
S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."	....	....	....	36.50	....	....	37	....	....	....	....	....
do. "Bear"	36	36.50	36.50	....	37	....	37	....	37.25	....	36.25	....
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	580	....	590	....	....	645	647.50	....	635	....	585	....
do. "B"	....	....	28	....	....	....	28	....	....	....	....	....
do. "C"	....	....	28	....	....	....	29	....	29	....	28	....
Miscellaneous												
Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	5.75	....	....	6	5.75	....	....	6	....	....	....	....
Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....
Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	....
China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	14	15	15	....	....	15	15	....	14	....	14	....
Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	....	24.50	24	....	25.50	26	25	....	25.50	....	24	....
Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....
Culty Dairy Co., Ltd.	....	20	19	....	....	20	19	....	....	....	....	....
Champ Course Francais French	....	....	....	24.25	....	....	....	24.25	....	....	....	....
(French Race Course) non-French	....	....	37.50	....	....	....	37.50	....	....	....	....	....
do. Founders	....	....	....	45	....	....	....	45	....	....	....	....
Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	6.80	....	....	6.60	....	....	....	6.60	....	....	....	....
Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	....	....	....	15.75	....	....	....	15.75	....	....	....	....
Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	....	....	....	4.50	....	....	....	4.50	....	....	....	....
Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	....	....	....	7.25	....	....	....	7.25	....	....	....	....
Millington, Ltd.	....	....	....	1.30	....	....	....	1.30	....	....	....	....
Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	....	....	3	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	5.30	5.40	5.35	....	5.30	....	5.35	....	5.50	....	5.20	....
S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....
S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	1.10	....	....	....	1.10	....	....	....	....
Union Brewery, Ltd.	....	....	6	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	....
Bonds and Preferences												
American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	....	....	....	81	....	....	....	81	....	....	....	....
do. Cum. Pref. 7%	....	....	....	67.50	....	....	....	67.50	....	....	....	....
Caldbeck, Macgragor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	....	....	13	....	....	....	12.50	....	13	....	13	....
Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	....	....	....	3.60	....	....	....	3.60	....	....	....	....
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	....	....	153	....	....	....	153	....	....	....	....	....
New Eng. & Shipbg Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	6.10	....	....	6.40	6.40	....	6	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	....	123	123	....	122.50	124	123.50	....	123.50	....	123	....
Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	....	....	50	....	....	....	50	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	....	....	13.20	....	....	....	13.20	....	....	....	....	....
do. 6½% cum. pref.	....	....	12.65	....	....	....	12.65	....	....	....	....	....
Cottons												
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	19.60	....	19.70	....	19.70	19.90	19.80	....	20.20	....	19.50	....
Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	....	98	98	....	....	98	98	....	....	....	....	....
Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	....	....	....	30	25	33.50	....	35	....	....	....	....
Plantations												
Alma Estates, Ltd.	18.50	....	18.50	....	....	....	18.50	....	18.50	....	18.50	....
Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations Ltd.	9.80	....	10	....	9.50	....	....	9.30	10	....	9	....
Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	....	....	15.25	....	....	....	15.25	....	15.30	....	15.30	....
Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	....	....	5.20	....	....	....	5.20	....	....	....	....	....
Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	....	....	1.10	....	1.08	....	1.08	....	1.10	....	1.10	....
Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	3.55	....	....	3.60	3.60	....	3.50	....	....	....	....	....
Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1.38	1.41	1.40	....	1.41	....	1.41	....	1.42	....	1.36	....
Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	....	....	....	0.49	....	0.50	....	0.49	....	....	....	....
Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	....	4.60	4.60	....	4.50	....	4.60	....	4.50	....	4.50	....
Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	7	....	7	....	7	....	7	....	7	....	7	....
Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	....	....	....	32	....	....	....	32	....	....	....	....
Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests. Ltd.	2.15	....	2.25	....	....	....	2.25	....	....	....	....	....
Kapayang Rubber Estates, Co., Ltd.	....	....	20	....	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	....
Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	....	....	2.80	....	2.75	....	2.80	....	....	....	....	....
Kroewoek Java Plantations Ltd.	1.21	....	1.23	....	1.22	....	1.25	....	1.23	....	1.23	....
Langkat	9.50	10	9.50	....	9.50	....	9.50	....	9.50	....	9.50	....
Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	....	1.20	1.20	....	....	1.20	1.20	....	....	....	....	....
Permata Rubber Estate, Ltd.	....	....	0.80	....	....	....	0.80	....	....	....	....	....
Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests. Ltd.	....	....	0.87	....	0.88	....	0.88	....	0.87	....	0.87	....
Rubber Trust, Ltd.	....	3.60	3.55	....	....	....	3.55	....	3.60	....	3.55	....
Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	....	....	0.75	....	....	....	0.80	....	0.75	....	0.75	....
Semambu Rubber Ests. Ltd.	....	....	0.78	....	0.78	....	0.80	....	0.80	....	0.78	....
Senawang Rub. Ests., Co. (1921), Ltd.	....	....	0.97	....	....	0.99	0.97	....	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd.	....	....	6.25	....	....	6.50	6.25	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd.	....	....	0.39	....	0.39	0.40	0.40	....	0.39	....	0.39	....
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. ord.	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	16	15	....	15	....
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. 8% cum. part. pref.	....	....	....	23	....	....	....	23	....	....	....	....
S'hai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd.	....	....	3	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Seremban Rubber Estates, Ltd.	....	1.80	....	1.85	....	1.90	....	1.85	....	....	....	....
S'hai Sumatra Rubber Ests., Ltd.	....	....	....	12.50	11.50	....	10.50	....	....	....	....	....
Sua Manggis Rubber Co., Ltd.	....	....	1.75	....	....	....	1.75	....	1.70	....	1.70	....
Sungala Rubber Estate, Ltd.	....	....	5.40	....	....	5.50	5.40	....	....	....	....	....
Sungei Duri Rubber Estate, Ltd.	....	....	32	....	....	....	32	....	....	....	....	....
Tanah Merah Estates (1916), Ltd.	1.90	2	2	....	1.95	....	2	....	2	....	1.90	....
Tebong Rubber Estate, Ltd	....	....	0.90	....	0.92	0.94	0.93	....	0.90	....	0.88	....
Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd.	....	14	....	13.70	....	....	13.70	....	13.90	....	13.90	....

STOCK	Authorised Capital (No. of Shares)	Issued Capital (No. of Shares)	Paid up Value (or Face Value)	Fin. Year ends	Last Dividends, etc.	Paid or due
Banks, Finance Companies						
Central Properties, Ltd.	5,000,000	180,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 10% 1937	7-3-38
China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	200,000	120,000	$10	Dec.	Final Div. 6% (Mkg. 10% 1936) (Nil 1937)	10-3-37
China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	400,000	400,000	T5	Dec.	Spec. Tax Div. Tls. 0.27½ = $0.39, 1931 (Nil 1937)	14-3-32
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	400,000	160,000	H$125	Dec.	Int. Div. £2-10-0 a/c 1938 (£5½ 1937) Less I/T	8-8-38
Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China Ltd.	2,000,000	350,000	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.75, 1934 (Nil 1937-38)	4-5-34
Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	250,000	250,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.25 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	25-2-35
Union Mobiliere	100,000	100,000	$20	Dec.	3% for 1937	3-5-38
Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	517,500	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.20 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1937-38)	22-7-37
Insurances						
American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	75,000	75,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40, 1934 (1937 Nil)	15-5-35
Asia Life Insurance Co.	100,000	40,000	G$5	Dec.	Div. 10% = G. $0.50, 1937	12-5-38
Assurance Franco-Asiatique	70,000	70,000	F100	Dec.	Div. 5%, 1937	4-5-38
International Assurance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	600,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.30, 1933 (Nil 1937)	18-5-34
Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.	200,000	135,000	£6	Dec.	Int. Div. 15/- a/c 1938 (30/-, 1937)	Pending
Lands						
Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	25,000	19,335	T100	Feb.	Final $2.00 (Mkg. $4.00 a/c 1937-38)	21-4-38
Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	500,000	480,374	T10	Dec.	Final 2% = $0.28 (Mkg. 6% 1933) (Nil 1937)	5-5-34
China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	800,000	500,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1934	20-2-35
Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine	20,000	20,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $7, a/c 1936 (Nil 1937)	18-3-37
Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	500,000 (A and B)	39,800	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1937)	28-11-34
do. "B"		155,018	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1937)	28-11-34
San Sing Properties, Ltd.	2,000,000	805,007	T10	Mar.	Div. 2% = $0.28, 1933 (Nil 1938)	16-3-33
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	2,386,800	2,386,800	T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls. 0.50 1934) (Nil 1937)	25-4-35
Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	120,000	64,281	$50	Dec.	Final 3% & Bonus 1% (Mkg. 11% 1937)	28-2-38
Docks, Wharves and Transport						
New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.30 = $0.42, 1932 (Nil 1937)	14-3-33
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	55,200	T50	Dec.	Div. $3.50 a/c 1937 & Int. Div. $3.50 a/c 1938	15-3-38
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $5- a/c 1937	14-4-38
Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	217,532	T10	Mar.	Div. $1- a/c 1937-38 & Bonus share 1 for 10	Pending
Utilities						
China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.90 = $1.26 1930 (Nil 1937)	25-2-31
Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	700,000	560,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 4% 1936 (Nil 1937)	8-4-37
Shanghai Telephone Company	400,000	115,142	T50	Dec.		....
S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg." / do. "Bear"	700,000	670,000	£1	Dec.	Final Div. 5% (Mkg. 7%, 1937) Coupon 55	26-4-38
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	40,236	40,236	£20	Dec.	Int. Div. 8/- a/c 1938 (36/-, 1937) Coupon 49	Pending
do. "B"	359,280 (B and C)	108,505	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 4.8d a/c 1938 (1/4.8d, 1937) Coupon 22	Pending
do. "C"		250,000	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 4.8d a/c 1938 (1/7.2d, 1937) Coupon 18	Pending
Miscellaneous						
Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	150,000	118,500	$8	Dec.	Int. Div. $1 a/c 1938 ($0.60 1937)	4-8-38
Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	50,000	49,703	$10	Dec.	Div. $0.17 a/c 1937	16-3-38
Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	200,000	140,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.70 a/c 1937	29-4-38
China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	500,000	231,803	T10	Feb.	Div. 6% = $0.84 a/c 1937-38	26-5-38
Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	2,000,000	1,960,000	£1	June	Div. 5% a/c 1936-37 Free of I/T Coupon 44	18-1-38
Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	750,000	725,000	£1	June	Div. 1/- (Mkg. 1/9d, 1937) Less Tax	15-1-38
Culty Dairy Co., Ltd.	40,000	40,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1, 1934-35 (Nil 1937)	27-11-35
Champ Course Francais French	30,000	30,000	$20	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35
(French Race Course) non-French				Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35
do. Founders		6,490	Free	Dec.	Div. $4.62 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35
Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	28,000	26,342	$20	Feb.	Div. 5% = $1, 1934-35 (1937-38 Nil)	30-5-35
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	1,500,000	1,193,867	H$7.50	Dec.	Div. H.$0.40 a/c 1937	6-4-38
Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	75,000	45,000	$10	Feb.	Div. $0.50 a/c 1937-38	29-6-38
Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	100,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25 a/c 1937	1-2-38
Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	250,000	$5	Dec.		....
Millington, Ltd.	300,000	110,000	$4	Dec.		
Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T8.50	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.40 = $0.56, a/c 1932 (Nil 1937)	21-4-33
S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	600,000	597,251	T2.50	Dec.	Div. $0.22 a/c 1937	27-7-38
S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	35,000	23,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 10% = $1.40 a/c 1937	9-5-38
S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	500,000	301,756	T1	Dec.	Div. 8% (= $0.11) 1935 (Nil 1937)	17-3-36
Union Brewery, Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25, 1933 (Nil 1937)	27-5-34
Bonds and Preferences						
American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	5,000	5,000	T100	Dec.	4% = $5.59 for ½ year ended Dec. 31, 1934	31-12-34
do. Cum. Pref. 7%	7,500	7,500	T100	Dec.	3½% = $4.89 for ½ year ended 31-3-35	1-4-35
Caldbeck, Macgragor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	100,000	80,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1937	29-4-38
Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	600,000	205,125	T5	Dec.	Quarterly Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1933	30-12-33
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	10,000	9,000	T100	Dec.	Div. Tls. 8 = $11.19, 1937	3-5-38
New Eng. & Shipbg Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	4% (Mkg. 8%) a/c 1934 & 6½% a/c 1935	14-3-38
S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	230,000	220,000	T100	Dec.	2nd Quarterly Div. Tls. 1.50 = $2.0979, a/c 1938	5-7-38
Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	10,000	10,000	T50	Dec.	Tls. 3.50 = $4.89 1937	30-3-38
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½% = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-38	Pending
do. 6½% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3¼% = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-38	Pending
Cottons						
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	2,000,000	1,200,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $1.40 a/c 1937	3-5-38
Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	240,000	240,000	$50	Apr.	Div. $2.50 for year ended 30-4-38	26-5-38
Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	200,000	150,000	T10	June	Div. $5 & Bonus $5 (Mkg. $10, a/c 1936-37)	30-12-37
Plantations						
Alma Estates, Ltd.	70,000	70,000	£1	Sept.	Final Div. $1- (Mkg. $2 a/c 1936-37)	16-12-37
Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations Ltd.	400,000	350,000	10s	Dec.	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.70 a/c 1937)	20-5-38
Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	500,000	496,000	10s.	Dec.	Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50, a/c 1937)	13-5-38
Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	500,000	335,499	T1	Sept.	2nd Int. Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.10, 1937-38) ($0.55, 1936-37)	1-8-38
Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	960,000	960,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1937)	12-4-38
Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	500,000	353,698	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.45, a/c 1937)	11-4-38
Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	956,747	T0.10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1937	21-4-38
Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1,095,850	1,051,438	T0.10	June	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06 a/c 1936-37)	13-10-37
Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	500,000	484,837	2/-	Dec.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.50, 1937)	14-4-38
Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	350,000	200,000	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.65 a/c 1937)	8-4-38
Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	750,000	665,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 8% 1937 Less I/T (Coupon 34)	13-5-38
Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests. Ltd.	850,000	750,000	2/-	Dec.	Final Div. $0.09 (Mkg. $0.21 a/c 1937)	1-4-38
Kapayang Rubber Estates, Co., Ltd.	15,000	14,800	T10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937)	21-3-38
Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	500,000	461,804	T0.75	June	Int. Div. $0.05 a/c 1937-38 ($0.25, 1936-37)	12-1-38
Kroewoek Java Plantations Ltd.	2,200,000	2,200,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.06 (Mkg. $0.12, a/c 1937)	14-3-38
Langkat	250,000	250,000	Gs.10	Oct.	Div. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70, 1928-29 (Nil 1937)	3-3-30
Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	500,000	500,000	T1	Apr.	Final Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.08 a/c 1937-38	15-7-38
Permata Rubber Estate, Ltd.	350,000	317,219	$1	Oct.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10, a/c 1936-37)	9-2-38
Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests. Ltd.	1,350,000	1,350,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09 a/c 1937	20-4-38
Rubber Trust, Ltd.	25,000,000	1,082,000	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.40, a/c 1936-37)	23-12-37
Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	6,000,000	1,011,000	T0.10	Sept.	Div. $0.05 a/c 1936-37	16-12-37
Semambu Rubber Ests. Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09, 1937)	29-3-38
Senawang Rub. Ests., Co. (1921), Ltd.	1,140,000	1,140,000	T0.10	Jan.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.08 a/c 1937-38)	30-5-38
Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd.	400,000	300,000	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.25 (Mkg. $0.65, 1936-37	17-12-37
S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd.	1,400,000	1,400,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.02 (Mkg. $0.04 a/c 1937)	22-4-38
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. ord.	30,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.75 a/c 1937	22-4-38
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. 8% cum. part. pref.	30,000	27,380	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 and $0.75 a/c 1937	22-4-38
S'hai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd.	300,000	235,900	T1	June	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.24 1936-37)	15-10-37
S'hai Seremban Rubber Estates, Ltd.	325,000	325,000	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.20, a/c 1937)	14-3-38
S'hai Sumatra Rubber Ests., Ltd.	120,000	76,956	T5	Oct.	Final Div. $0.80 (Mkg. $1.30 a/c 1936-37)	28-2-38
Sua Manggis Rubber Co., Ltd.	280,000	270,000	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.20 a/c 1937)	28-2-38
Sungala Rubber Estate, Ltd.	180,000	180,000	T1	Mar.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.40 a/c 1937-38)	26-5-38
Sungei Duri Rubber Estate, Ltd.	40,000	40,000	£1	June	Int. Div. $0.50 a/c 1937-38 ($3.75, 1936-37)	7-1-38
Tanah Merah Estates (1916), Ltd.	1,500,000	1,300,000	T1	Mar.	Final Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.14 a/c 1937-38)	6-7-38
Tebong Rubber Estate, Ltd	4,000,000	4,000,000	T0.10	Jan.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.08 a/c 1937-38)	31-5-38
Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd.	300,000	250,000	10s.	Dec.	Final Div. $0.90 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937)	1-4-38

STOCK	Business Done Year 1937 Highest	1937 Lowest	Business Done Year 1938 Highest	1938 Lowest	Total No. of Shares Done for Last Week	This Week	Total Amount of Sales Reported Jan. 1—Sept. 2 1937	1938
Banks, Finance Companies								
Central Properties, Ltd.	15 Feb	14 June	....	....	....	....	2,000	....
China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	15.50 Apr	15.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	1,200	....
China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	0.40 Apr	0.40 Feb	0.50 Mar	0.50 Mar	....	....	29,200	1,000
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	1,945 June	1,380 Dec.	1,602½ Mar	1,440 Feb	35	4	235	473
Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China Ltd.	4.25 Feb	3 June	....	....	....	....	51,700	....
Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	5 Feb	2.70 June	5.10 Aug	3.20 June	9,325	3,000	17,186	64,193
Union Mobiliere	20 July	18 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,670	....
Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	8 Mar	6 July	5.60 Aug	4 Aug	2,000	1,250	12,300	5,170
Insurances								
American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Asia Life Insurance Co.	25 Dec	16.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	6,687	....
Assurance Franco-Asiatique	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
International Assurance Co., Ltd.	4.55 Feb	3 Jan	4.05 Aug	3 Aug	1,100	1,000	108,245	15,750
Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.	636 Apr	515xd. Oct.	560 Mar	495 June	100	10	1,430	1,705
Lands								
Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	200 Feb	190 Jan	160 June	160 June	....	....	114	3
Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	3.75 Mar	3 Apr	3 Mar	3 Mar	....	....	17,300	400
China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	1.45 Mar	0.90 June	0.75 Apr	0.50 Aug	....	....	90,150	22,000
Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do. "B"	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
San Sing Properties, Ltd.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	17 Feb	8.70 Aug	9 Mar	7.60 June	13,300	2,050	72,050	75,833
Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Docks, Wharves and Transport								
New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	3.80 Feb	2.25 Jan	4.10 Mar	3.25 Feb	2,879	....	20,177	23,205
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	108 July	92 Jan	131 Aug	95 Apr	600	....	6,409	5,628
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	250 Feb	140 Dec.	190 Aug	145 Jan	343	20	2,020	1,512
Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	18.60 June	10.10 Feb	21.75 Aug	14 Mar	12,765	2,200	106,372	26,285
Utilities								
China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	13.30 Apr	7.50 Jan	16.75 Aug	13 Apr	....	200	10,443	1,445
Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	10.70 Apr	9 Feb	8.50 Aug	8.50 Aug	....	....	8,526	500
Shanghai Telephone Company	86 Mar	68 Jan	63 Aug	60 Aug	107	192	3,368	361
S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."	39.50 Apr	36.50 Feb	37 Aug	32 Apr	....	....	3,347	2,845
do. "Bear"	41 Mar	31.50 Dec.	39 June	30 May	435	1,300	35,536	33,195
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	635 Mar	625 June	650 Aug	510 May	65	95	642	1,306
do. "B"	25.75 Apr	24.50 Feb	28 Aug	21 Apr	280	....	967	3,078
do. "C"	25.75 July	24.50 Feb	29 Aug	21.25 Apr	....	750	6,957	2,992
Miscellaneous								
Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	6.80 Mar	5 Feb	6 June	5 June	....	....	1,935	2,700
Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	10.75 July	4.25 Mar	....	....	....	....	10,612	....
Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	16.50 Mar	14.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,500	....
China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	13 Mar	13 Mar	15 Aug	12 June	1,600	500	325	1,500
Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	20.25 July	13 Jan	26.75 Aug	16 June	5,000	2,950	27,738	52,389
Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	10.60 Jan	9.40 Jan	....	....	....	....	9,300	....
Culty Dairy Co., Ltd.	17 May	15 July	20 Aug	19 Aug	200	....	320	820
Champ Course Francais French	22 May	22 May	....	....	....	....	10	....
(French Race Course) non-French	....	....	37.50 Aug	32.50 May	....	....	....	300
do. Founders	50 July	45 May	55 Apr	55 Apr	....	....	6	5
Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	10 June	9 Mar	10 Mar	10 Mar	....	....	170	5
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	8 Apr	8 Apr	6.30 Apr	6.30 Apr	....	....	500	500
Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	10.70 June	5.90 Apr	....	....	....	....	119,705	....
Millington, Ltd.	1.50 June	1.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	6,250	....
Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	....	....	3 May	3 May	....	....	....	750
S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	3 Feb	1.75 June	5.50 Aug	2 June	16,858	13,260	22,245	202,223
S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	1.50 Jan	1 Feb	....	....	....	....	18,193	....
Union Brewery, Ltd.	5.50 May	3 Mar	6 June	6 June	....	....	400	1,000
Bonds and Preferences								
American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
do. Cum. Pref. 7%	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Caldbeck, Macgragor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	17.50 May	15.50 Jan	13 Aug	12 Aug	4,600	3,700	2,300	9,800
Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	179 July	165 Apr	153 Aug	137 June	....	....	866	726
New Eng. & Shipbg Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	7 July	5 Jan	6.25 Mar	4.75 June	....	....	42,677	9,814
S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	137.50 Feb	122 Jan	125 Aug	99 Apr	734	320	13,361	8,347
Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	73 Mar	65 May	58 Mar	50 June	....	....	2,155	407
S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	17 Mar	16 July	13.75 Mar	13.20 May	....	....	7,295	1,650
do. 6½% cum. pref.	16 July	13.75 Dec	12.65 May	12.65 May	....	....	5,230	280
Cottons								
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	18.50 June	12 Dec	20.20 Aug	12 Feb	31,300	18,860	814,117	420,705
Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	121.25 Apr	92 Jan	98 Aug	80 July	....	....	3,240	500
Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	35 June	29 Mar	....	....	....	....	900	....
Plantations								
Alma Estates, Ltd.	30 Apr	16xd. Dec	18.50 June	15 Feb	....	50	5,310	1,925
Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations Ltd.	13.75 Apr	7 Dec	10 Aug	6.50 Feb	....	1,033	66,252	5,053
Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	19.60 Apr	11 Sept	15.30 Aug	11 Feb	233	200	200,484	33,931
Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	7.25 Apr	4 Dec	5.25 June	4 May	200	....	49,548	4,325
Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	1.86 Apr	0.85 Dec	1.08 Aug	0.70 Jan	1,000	1,000	661,910	156,430
Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	6.40 Apr	3.20 Dec	3.75 Mar	3 June	....	....	259,240	29,150
Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	2.05 Apr	0.80 Oct	1.45 June	0.85 Feb	6,000	7,250	464,150	167,931
Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1.31 Apr	0.47 Dec	0.53 June	0.40 Jan	....	....	1,214,620	266,206
Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	7 Apr	3.40 Dec	4.60 Aug	2.50 Jan	1,225	125	253,876	28,660
Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	10.15 Apr	4.90 Dec	7.25 Aug	4.75 Mar	....	1,000	62,019	12,105
Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	53 Mar	33.25 May	....	....	....	....	630	....
Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests. Ltd.	3.20 Apr	1.80 Dec	2.25 Aug	1.55 Jan	2,000	....	587,850	56,970
Kapayang Rubber Estates, Co., Ltd.	38 Apr	27 Jan	20 June	20 Apr	....	....	6,225	950
Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	4.85 Apr	2.50 Dec	3 Aug	1.80 Mar	1,000	....	410,486	34,965
Kroewoek Java Plantations Ltd.	1.53 Apr	0.70 Oct	1.25 Aug	0.70 Feb	18,000	6,000	1,177,130	419,250
Langkat	14.56 Mar	7 Jan	11 Aug	4 Apr	500	500	43,052	16,130
Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	1.90 Apr	1 Nov	1.37½ June	1 Feb	....	....	314,600	53,750
Permata Rubber Estate, Ltd.	1.10 Apr	0.60 Dec	1 Mar	0.60 Jan	....	....	66,580	29,000
Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests. Ltd.	1.28 Apr	0.60 Oct	0.92 June	0.60 Feb	5,000	1,000	636,752	142,650
Rubber Trust, Ltd.	5.72½ Mar	2.90 Dec	3.65 June	2.50 May	2,000	2,500	524,938	192,107
Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	1.10 Apr	0.55 Jan	0.80 June	0.60 May	....	4,200	650,055	23,400
Semambu Rubber Ests. Ltd.	1.35 Apr	0.67 Nov	0.92 Mar.	0.63 Feb	2,000	4,500	352,180	149,250
Senawang Rub. Ests., Co. (1921), Ltd.	1.49 Apr	0.80 Dec	1 June	0.67 Feb	5,000	....	981,525	222,000
Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd.	8.75 Apr	4.80 Dec	6.70 June	4.80 Feb	....	....	66,195	17,625
S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd.	0.65 Apr	0.30 Dec	0.42½ June	0.25 Jan	12,166	11,000	2,551,121	415,166
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. ord.	30 Apr	14 Jan	15 Sept.	10 May	....	40	8,165	340
S'hai Malay Rub. Ests., Ltd. 8% cum. part. pref.	37.50 Mar	30 Mar	28 June	15 Apr	....	....	1,345	150
S'hai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd.	5.97½ Mar	3.00 Aug	3 June	2.35 Mar	....	....	74,120	9,700
S'hai Seremban Rubber Estates, Ltd.	2.35 Apr	1.40 July	1.85 June	1 Jan	....	....	203,450	39,250
S'hai Sumatra Rubber Ests., Ltd.	21 Apr	13.90 June	12 Aug	7 Feb	100	....	17,600	8,991
Sua Manggis Rubber Co., Ltd.	2.41 Apr	1.40 July	1.90 Mar	1.40 Apr	....	30	308,770	37,875
Sungala Rubber Estate, Ltd.	7.05 Apr	4.50 Nov	5.40 June	3.50 Feb	....	....	59,209	3,373
Sungei Duri Rubber Estate, Ltd.	48 Apr	27 Dec	33 June	22 Apr	750	....	6,575	4,977
Tanah Merah Estates (1916), Ltd.	3.03 Apr	1.70 Dec	2.05 Aug	1.45 May	2,000	2,225	1,058,896	96,425
Tebong Rubber Estate, Ltd	1.26 Apr	0.68 Dec	0.97 June	0.63 Jan	8,500	1,400	2,732,652	434,768
Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd.	18.10 Apr	11.25 Nov	13.90 Aug	10 May	....	300	51,940	10,998

Quotations in Chinese Dollars unless otherwise stated * Quoted in Hongkong Dollars.

Rubber Output Statistics

Company	Agents	Paid up Capital $	Output last fin. year: Year ended	Output last fin. year: Quantity (lbs.)	Provisional Assessments of Standard Production for 1938	Output for month of July 1938 (lbs.)	Total Output this financial year (including July 1938) (lbs.)*
Alma	W	881,119	30-9-37	544,500	669,200	36,000	423,000 (10)
Anglo-Dutch	W	2,202,797	31-12-37	1,375,679	1,779,657	56,217	725,754 (7)
Anglo-Java	W	2,927,288	31-12-37	3,900,860	3,551,694	Nil	1,369,277 (7)
Ayer Tawah	G	469,229	30-9-37	651,500	719,100	39,500	467,500 (10)
Batu Anam	W	134,266	31-12-37	475,700	609,913	28,000	242,000 (7)
Bute	B	494,682	31-12-37	640,307	756,000	28,910	278,650 (7)
Chemor United	W	133,811	31-12-37	655,500	740,900	33,000	298,000 (7)
Cheng	W	147,054	30-6-37	363,500	344,300	14,000	14,000 (1)
Consolidated (1914)	B	508,570	31-12-37	1,111,800	1,319,500	68,100	510,900 (7)
Dominion	B	279,720	31-12-37	681,630	762,200	35,200	318,800 (7)
Gula-Kalumpong	—	£665,000	31-12-37	4,050,000	5,279,336	—	—
Java Consolidated	W	909,249	31-12-37	1,043,221	938,520	47,619	448,266 (7)
Kapayang	W	206,993	31-12-37	153,500	174,940	9,000	66,000 (7)
Kota Bahroe (1921)	B	484,410	30-6-37	598,000	781,275	32,500	32,500 (1)
Kroewoek	W	307,692	31-12-37	965,853	1,227,557	Nil	510,804 (7)
Langkat	M	2,552,448	31-10-37	1,181,000	1,607,775	86,000	739,000 (9)
Padang	B	699,301	30-4-38	334,400	381,200	17,100	53,600 (3)
Permata	F	317,219	31-10-37	115,137	129,400	7,104	70,394 (9)
Repah	W	188,811	31-12-37	581,700	620,000	33,000	254,000 (7)
Rubber Trust	W	1,513,287	30-9-37	1,072,267	286,355	49,000	733,000 (7)
Samagaga	W	141,399	30-9-37	341,100	471,000	22,000	288,000 (10)
Semambu	W	125,874	31-12-37	422,000	503 800	25,000	215,000 (7)
Senawang (1921) {Ord. {Pref.	W	206,913	31-1-38	577,100	660,380	26,000	206,000 (6)
Shanghai Kedah	B	419,580	30-9-37	590,805	924,831	54,600	567,200 (10)
S'hai Kelantan (1925)	T	195,804	31-12-37	294,165	343,807	15,300	123,800 (7)
Shanghai Malay {Ord. {Pref.	W	802,517	31-12-37	607,080	664,545	31,000	280,000 (7)
Shanghai Pahang	B	329,930	30-6-37	386,000	565,600	29,500	29,500 (1)
Shanghai Seremban	W	454,545	31-12-37	255,100	309,000	15,000	121,000 (7)
Shanghai Sumatra	M	538,154	31-10-37	700,000	868,436	56,000	423,000 (9)
Sua-Manggis	W	377,622	31-12-37	232,100	255,000	14,000	102,000 (7)
Sungala	G	252,000	31-3-38	357,250	464,100	23,500	102,300 (4)
Sungei Duri	B	475,524	30-6-37	540,000	688,690	31,000	31,000 (1)
Tanah Merah (1916)	B	1,818,182	31-3-38	1,120,300	1,329,343	53,000	275,000 (4)
Tebong	W	559,441	31-1-38	1,340,000	1,375,900	61,000	422,000 (6)
Ziangbe	W	1,440,619	31-12-37	2,539,729	1,589,271	68,122	692,235 (7)

*Numbers in brackets indicate the number of monthly outputs included in said totals.
B—A. R. Burkill & Sons, Ltd., 20 Canton Road
F—Frost, Bland & Co., Ltd., 190 Kiukiang Road
G—Geddes Trading & Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., 61 Yuen Ming Yuen Road
M—George McBain, 1 The Bund
T—Turner, Sturrock & Brown, 9 Av. Edward VII
W—J. A. Wattie & Co., Ltd., 93 Canton Road

Rubber Prices

August	27th	29th	30th	31st	Sept. 1st	2nd
London Spot	8.1/16d	CLOSED	7.7/8d	7.7/8d	8d	7.7/8d
September	8.1/16d		7.7/8d	7.7/8d	7.15/16d	7.7/8d
Oct/Dec.	8.1/8d		7.15/16d	8d	8.1/16d	7.15/16d
Jan./Mar.	8.1/4d		8d	8.1/16d	8.1/8d	8d
Apr./June	8.5/16d		8.1/16d	8.1/16d	8.3/16d	8.1/16d
Market	Very steady		Easy	Slightly firmer	Harden	Steady
Singapore Spot	27.1/2	27.5/8	27.1/8	26.5/8	27	27.1/8
Oct./Dec.	28	28.1/8	27.1/2	27.1/8	27.1/2	27.5/8
Market	Steady	Very quiet	Steady at the decline	Steady	Very quiet	Quiet steady
New York						
September	16.67	CLOSED	16.10	16.25	16.30	16.08
October	16.64		16.17	16.31	16.36	16.08
December	16.78		16.31	16.44	16.50	16.31
January	16.83		16.37	16.48	16.54	16.35

Forward Settlements for 1938

September 29th, Thursday — October 25th, Tuesday
November 24th, Thursday — December 20th, Tuesday

Debentures

Opening Prices Aug. 31st 1938		Buyers	Sellers	Nominal	Last Done Price	Last Done Date	Loan amount outstanding	Interest payable at end of	Business Done 1938 High	Business Done 1938 Low	Total amount of sales Jan. 1—Sept. 2 1938
Shanghai Municipal Council	6% 1926 (10/30) Tls.	94	96	..	94½	18-8-38	Tls. 4,880,000	June-Dec.	95	94½	25,000
,,	5% 1934 (10/30) $	..	..	89	99	31-7-37	$10,404,700	do.	—	—	—
,,	5½% 1936 (10) ,,	..	..	92¾	103	19-7-37	$5,000,000	do.	—	—	—
,,	5% 1937 (10/30) ,,	..	..	89	99	6-8-37	$9,000,000	do.	—	—	—
French Municipal Council	6% 1911 (10/30) Tls.	..	..	90½	90	16-8-38	121,100	May-Nov.	90	90	400
,,	5½% 1914 (,,) ,,	..	..	87½	97½	12-6-36	271,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
,,	5½% 1916 (,,) ,,	..	..	87½	100½	31-4-34	203,700	do.	—	—	—
,,	8% 1921 (,,) ,,	100	..	..	100	21-7-38	1,679,300	do.	100	100	22,200
,,	6% 1923 (,,) ,,	..	..	90	90	16-8-38	731,000	May-Nov.	90	90	5,300
,,	7% 1924 (,,) ,,	..	..	86½	101	22-12-36	759,600	Mar-Sept.	—	—	—
,,	6½% 1925 (20/30) ,,	..	..	92¾	101	24-3-37	2,000,000	Apr.-Oct.	—	—	—
,,	6½% 1926 (,,) ,,	..	..	92¾	102½	21-6-37	1,000,000	Jan.-July	—	—	—
,,	6% 1930 (10/25) ,,	..	..	90½	103	19-7-37	2,000,000	Apr.-Oct.	—	—	—
,,	6% 1931 (,,) ,,	..	..	90½	103	19-7-37	3,000,000	Feb.-Aug.	—	—	—
,,	6% 1933 (10/30) ,,	..	..	90½	100	11-8-37	2,000,000	Mar.-Sept.	—	—	—
,,	5% 1934 (,,) $	..	..	85½	95½	8-7-37	$5,000,000	Jan.-July	—	—	—
,,	6% 1936 (10/15) ,,	91	..	..	103½	5-7-37	$2,500,000	May-Nov.	—	—	—
American Club	7% 1933 (5/20) Tls.	..	..	45	89	20-10-36	750,000	1/4-1/10	—	—	—
Anglo-French Land Invest. Co.	6% 1931 (10/20) ,,	90	..	..	100	9-6-37	1,000,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
Asia Realty Co.	6% 1930 (10/30)c ,,	..	..	81	90	7-2-35	1,360,200	1/3-1/9	—	—	—
	6% 1930 (10/30)r ,,	..	..	81	90	7-2-35	3,000,000	1/4-1/10	—	—	—
Cathay Land Co.	6% 1930 (5/20) ,,	..	..	67½	80	10-3-37	3,000,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
	6% 1932 (10/20) ,,	..	..	67½	80	28-6-37	1,000,000	do.	—	—	—
,, ,, ,,	6% 1933 (,,) $	..	..	72	80	28-6-37	$1,500,000	do.	—	—	—
Central Properties	5½% 1934 (10) ,,	..	..	82¾	92	26-4-37	$18,000,000	do.	—	—	—
China Realty Co.	8% 1930 (5/10) Tls.	..	..	50	47	24-8-38	3,000,000	1/4-1/10	60	47	23,100
,, ,,	8% 1931 (,,) ,,	..	..	50	47	24-8-38	4,500,000	1/4-1/10			
China Transport	8% 1931 (4/20) ,,	..	..	90	100	15-5-34	600,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
City Loan	7% 1932 (20) $	..	..	76½	85	12-8-37	$6,000,000	15/6-15/12	—	—	—
	7% 1934 (12) ,,	..	..	82¾	92	16-7-37	$3,500,000	30/6-30/12	—	—	—
Columbia Country Club	7% 1933 (1/12-20) Tls.	..	..	83¾	93	5-7-37	350,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
Country Club	6% 1901 (Perpl) ,,	..	..	85½	95	18-2-37	122,100	do.	—	—	—
Fonciere et Immobiliere	{6% 1930 (10/15) ,,	..	..	85½	89	3-3-37	1,000,000	do.	—	—	—
	{6% 1933 (10/15) ,,	..	..	85½	89	3-3-37	1,000,000	do.	—	—	—
Fonciere et Immobiliere	6% 1934 (,,) $	..	..	85½	85	13-1-37	$1,925,000	do.	—	—	—
French Club	7% Tls.	..	..	81	82	5-3-37	500,000	do.	—	—	—
International Investment Trust	6% 1930 (10/25) ,,	..	..	70½	78	15-7-37	1,951,000	1/4-1/10	—	—	—
,, ,,	6% 1931 (,,) ,,	..	..	70½	78	15-7-37	963,000	1/4-1/10	—	—	—
G. E. Marden & Co.	6% 1930 (10/15) ,,	..	..	85½	97	29-4-37	500,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
Metropolitan Land Co.	6% 1933 (10/20) $	..	..	76½	85	14-7-37	$2,000,000	do.	—	—	—
Race Club	6% 1934 (10/25) ,,	..	..	83½	92	5-7-37	$2,000,000	Feb.-Aug.	—	—	—
Realty Investment Co.	6% 1934 (10/30) ,,	..	..	81	102	6-11-34	$500,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
Shanghai Land Investment Co.	6% 1926 (20/30) Tls.	..	..	90¾	100	1-6-37	1,000,000	Mar.-Sept.	—	—	—
,, ,, ,,	5% 1930 (15) ,,	..	..	81	87	3-7-37	5,000,000	31/5-30/11	—	—	—
,, ,, ,,	6% 1931 (10/20) ,,	..	..	90¾	99½	26-7-37	3,000,000	June-Dec.	—	—	—
,, ,, ,,	6% 1933 (5/20) ,,	..	..	90¾	100	5-7-37	1,000,000	do.	—	—	—
,, ,, ,,	5% 1934 (5/40) $	..	..	81	90	24-7-37	$2,800,000	Apr.-Oct.	—	—	—
Shanghai Power Co.	5½% 1933 (10/40) ,,	..	..	79	78½	1-9-38	$88,000,000	10/2-10/8	81½	78½	211,300
Shanghai Telephone Co. "A"	6% 1932 (10/25)r Tls.	..	..	89	98¼	5-8-37	5,000,000	1/2-1/8	—	—	—
,, ,, "B"	6% 1933 (9/24)c $	..	..	89	99	28-7-37	$10,000,000	1/2-1/8	—	—	—
,, ,, "B"	6% 1933 (9/24)r ,,	..	..	89	99	28-7-37		1/2-1/8	—	—	—
,, ,, "C"	6% 1937 (20) r ,,	..	..	88	99	22-7-37	$4,000,000	1/2-1/8	—	—	—
Tientsin Land Investment Co.	7% 1929 (12/22) Tls.	..	..	93½	103	22-12-33	1,446,600	June-Dec.	—	—	—
Shanghai Waterworks Co.	6% 1932 (10/30) ,,	94	..	..	94	11-3-38	2,800,000	do.	94	94	3,000
,, ,,	5½% 1937 (,,) $	..	..	86	104	28-7-37	$2,000,000	do.	—	—	—
,, ,,	5% 1937 (,,) ,,	..	..	80	100	15-7-37	$725,000	do.	—	—	—
Wing On Co. (S'hai)	7% 1936 (10) ,,	..	..	85	94½	27-1-37	$5,000,000	1/4-1/10	—	—	—

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGES:
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank's Selling Rates (T/T) Opening Sept. 2nd 1938 (10 A.M.)
London £1 at Exch. 8d = Sh. $30 New York G. $100 at Exch. 16¼ = Sh. $615.38 Hongkong $100 @ Exch. 53¼ = Sh. $188.23

Chinese Government External Bonds

		London Nominal Prices Aug. 25th	Sept. 1st
Chin. Govt. 5 per cent	Reorg. Gold Loan 1913, British Issue	£65 0 0	£60 0 0
,, ,, 4½ ,,	Gold Loan 1909 (Anglo-French)	£98 0 0	£97 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Gold Loan 1912 (Crisp)	£55 0 0	£50 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Gold $ Bonds 1925, stamped (Per G $500)	£74 0 0	£68 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Shanghai-Nanking Railway Bonds	£27 0 0	£27 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Hukuang Railway Bonds (L.P.N.Y. Issues)	£29 10 0	£28 10 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Tientsin-Pukow Railway Bonds 1908	£25 0 0	£25 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	,, ,, 1910	£24 10 0	£24 10 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Honan Railway Bonds	£31 0 0	£31 0 0
,, ,, 5 ,,	Lung Tsing U Hai Railway Bonds	£19 0 0	£18 10 0
,, ,, 8 ,,	Sterling Treasury Notes (Vickers)	£19 0 0	£19 0 0

Company's Notices

Wheelock & Co., Ltd.—The 7th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 2 French Bund, Shanghai, on Thursday, September 22 at 11.45 a.m. when a dividend of $1 per share in cash and a bonus of one share for every ten shares held will be recommended to shareholders. The Transfer Books will be closed from September 8th to 22nd, both days inclusive.

Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.—The Directors have declared an interim dividend of 15 shillings per share payable on October 21, 1938. The share register will be closed from October 10, 1938.

The Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.—An Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 2 Peking Road, on Thursday, September 15, 1938 at 3.45 p.m.

The Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.—The half yearly dividend of 3½% on the 7% issue of 100,000 Cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares and 3¼% on the 6½% issue of 100,000 Cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares, together with an interim dividend on Intra Agreement Consumers' of 2% or 8/- per "A" share, and 4.8d. per "B" and "C" share respectively has been declared in respect of the year 1938 and will be payable on Tuesday, 27th September, 1938.

In the case of "A", "B" and "C" shares covered by Shanghai Certificates, such dividend will be paid at the office of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shanghai, in Chinese Standard Dollars at its buying rate for demand drafts on London on the day of presentation of the warrant. The Transfer Books will be closed from September 14th to 27th, both days inclusive.

The Shanghai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd.—The 25th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 20 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, September 20th at 11.45 a.m. The Transfer Books will be closed from September 15th to 20th, both days inclusive.

Share Report

Share Market Report (Up to Friday noon):—The market has been overshadowed by the political situation in Europe. In the early part of the week trading was slow and there was a general easing of rates. Yesterday, however, with improved news from London and a general easing of the tension which has existed for several days the local market firmed up and in many cases shares recovered the ground which they had previously lost. Ewo Cottons after touching a new high of $20.20 reacted to $19.60/70, but later improved to $19.90. Explorations were placed as low as $5.20 but recovered to $5.35. Loans, last business recorded was $4.90. Wharves are steady at $190 while Trams "Bearer" are off $1½ to $36½. Lands remain steady at $8 while S. W. W. "C" after being placed at $29 were later done at $28. Wheelocks are practically unchanged while Power Pref. are off ½ to $123. The Debenture market has been very dull and only a very retail business was recorded.

Rubber Reviews, Chinese Government Bonds, etc.

Rubber Review:—There is little to record in the raw commodity market rates have been irregular, London shows a nett loss of 3/16 while New York is up 47 points and Singapore is off ¾ of a cent. Interest in local rubber shares continues to remain small, rates are steady but the market is marking time waiting for a lead from the primary markets.

The following information has been courteously supplied by Reuters:—

London and Liverpool Stocks of Rubber on August 27th totalled 99,380 tons showing an increase of 13 tons during the week. Deliveries during the week totalled 1,381 tons compared with 1,351 tons for the previous week.

The following are the usual comparative weekly prices:—

	London Spot	London Oct./Dec.	Singapore Spot	Singapore Oct./Dec.	New York Oct.	New York Dec.	New York Jan.
August 26th	8d.	8.1/16d.	27½	28	16.60	16.70	16.75
September 2nd	7⅞d.	7.15/16d.	27½	27⅝	16.08	16.31	16.35
Market	Steady		Quiet steady				

The Chinese Government External Bonds and Railway Loans:—The political situation in Europe has resulted in a small week's business rates were easier with buyers holding off.

The Information above given, though not guaranteed, has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable.
Agents and Secretaries of Companies are requested kindly to notify The Secretary of the Shanghai Stock Exchange, 16 Central Road, of any errors or omissions.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money and Exchange

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1938

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8⅜	$28.66
U.S. $100 @ 16 15/16	$590.41

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8 9/16	$28.029
U.S. $100 @ 17⅜	$575.53
London—demand	8 9/16
4 months' sight credits	8 19/32
4 months' sight docts	8 21/32
6 months' sight credits	8⅝
6 months' sight docts	8 11/16
New York—demand	U.S. $17⅜
4 months' sight credits	17 7/16
4 months' sight docts	17 9/16
Paris—4 months' sight docts	Fcs. nom.

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling	8½	U.S.	$17 3/16
Hongkong/London			1/3

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 17=$588.24

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying	32
Java Guilders	,,	32
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	31¼
Java Guilders	,,	31¼

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying	U.S.$100=$571.429	£1=$28.029
Selling	U.S.$100=$583.941	£1=$28.657

Italian Bank For China

It. Lire 3.12=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.75=$1
Tourist Lire 3.45 ....=......$1

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 1.01¼=$1 Belgas 28.70=£1

Other Quotations

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 42½
$100=Reg. Mk. 91.00

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest	8½	Lowest	8½
U.S. G.$		17 3/16		17 3/16
Yen		—		—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

SELLING			BUYING
Cash		Sept.	
£ T.T.	8½	4 m/s. l.c.	8 19/32
G.$ T.T.	17 3/16	4 m/s. l.c.	17⅝
Fcs. T.T.	631	4 m/s.	651
Rs. T.T.	47⅝	7 d/s.	48¼

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19¼	18 15/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	50.15	—

Bombay offtake 25 bars. Market steady.

London silver was unchange for ready and 1/16 down forward, being 19¼ for ready and 18 15/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 4 annas down at 50.15.

It was reported Speculators bought and sold. American Trade was a small buyer. Moderate business done. Market steady. After the official fixing the market ruled quietly steady, with American Trade inquiry at 1/16d. under the fixed rate, but sellers were reserved.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8 19/32 sterling and 17⅛ U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market opened with sellers at 8½ sterling and 17 3/16 U.S.$. for cash, but shortly after the opening there were some buyers at these rates who were supplied with their requirements. Forward rates were steady and there was very little movement.

At the close there were sellers at:—

8½ sterling	17 3/16	U.S.$	Cash
8 17/32 ,,	17 5/32	,,	Sept.
8 9/16 ,,	16 31/32	,,	Oct.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Sept. 1.

Japan	79	London	1/5 27/32
New York	277½	2 months	
Shanghai	50	,, (sellers)	1/5 27/32
Hongkong	86	,, (buyers)	1/5 31/32

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	485.43	Shanghai	8¾d N
Paris	178.28	Bombay	1/5⅞
Berlin	12.12½	Hongkong	1/3 1/32
Amsterdam	8.92	Singapore	2/4
Brussels	28.77	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	,, (buying)	unq.
Milan	92.23	C'slovakia	140.62
Berne	21.28¾		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.07	Japan	28.34
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	17.40
Holland	54.43	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.72¼	C'slovakia	3.45⅜
Brussels	16.88	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.80½	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	25.03½	Greece	0.89⅜
Norway	24.39½	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	21.67	Finland	2.15
Montreal	99.855	Poland	18.87
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.85 7/16
,, Demand	4.85 7/16
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.84 13/16
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.84 25/32
Buenos Aires Paper	30.11
Buenos Aires Paper, Market rate	25.60
Montreal on London	4.86⅛

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: Sept. 1.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 9/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0 11/16%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	2¾%
Call money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16%B 0½%A
Call money	1%

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

Antamok	.37	.37
Atok	.34	.35
Benguet Consolidated	11.40	11.30
Consolidated Mines	.0035	.0035
Demonstration	.30	.30
Mine Operations	.11	.12
San Mauricio	.60	.60
United Paracale	.34	.36

Turnover: 135,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 84.85.
—Reuter.

Silver Quotations

London, Sept. 2.

Silver prices remained unchanged today, compared with yesterday's levels.

		Sept. 1	Sept. 2
London spot		19¼d.	19¼d.
,, forward		18 15/16d.	18 15/16d.
London/New York:			
One pound	U.S.$4.85⅝		$4.84⅝
One U.S.$.		49.421d.	49.523d.
Gold		143/0½d.	143/4d.

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

The market is quiet and steady with only a small business parting.

Official Averages

1938 High	Low		Today's Averages	Change
142.33	103.44	General	131.37	+0.02
139.41	95.55	Rubbers	137.55	unch.

Volume 8,853 shares.

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

	CASH
1,000 Exploration	$ 5.35
1,000 Dominion	$ 7.00
100 Kaiping	$ 24.00
40 S'hai Malay (Ord)	$ 15.00
300 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.70
300 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.60

11.20 AUCTION

20 S. W. W. "A" £20	$585.00
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.50

FROM 11.20 AUCTION TILL CLOSING

33 S'hai Telephone	$ 60.00
1,000 Samagaga	$ 0.72
100 S. W. W. "C"	$ 28.00
500 Kaiping	$ 24.00
100 Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 36.25

UNOFFICIAL

500 Kaiping	$ 24.00
10 S. W. W. "A" £20	$585.00
100 Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 36.25
2,000 Samagaga	$ 0.72
500 China Imp. & Exp. Lumber	$ 14.00
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.50
50 S'hai Telephone	$ 60.00
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 19.60

Afternoon Session

UNOFFICIAL

300 China Imp. & Exp. ½ Lumber	$14.00

London Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 1.

Trading was very quiet, with prices in most sections tending to rule easier, though iron and steels and motors displayed good resistance. Dullness in gold mining issues was relieved by a small volume of Continental inquiries.—Reuter.

	Aug. 31	Sept. 1
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£102¼	102 1/16
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	41½	41½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	46½x	46½
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	20/-	20/-
Armstrong, Stevens	6/6	6/6
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	37/1½	36/9
Austin Motors, ord.	25/-	25/-
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	51/6	51/4½
British American Tob.	101/10½	101/10½
Cable & W., new form	44¾	44¾
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/6	7/6
Courtaulds	31/3	31/6
Distillers	95/6	95/10½
Dunlop Rubber	26/9	27/-
General Elec. (Eng.)	76/4½	76/4½
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	113/6	113/6
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	24/9	24/9
Imp. Chem. Indus.	30/7½	30/7½
Imp. Tobacco	138/1½	138/1½
Leyland Motors	79/4½	80/-
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	55/7½	55/10½
Pressed Steel, com.	13/10½	13/9
Rolls-Royce	97/6	97/6
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/9	14/9
Tate & Lyle	76/10½	77/-
Turner & Newall	77/-	77/-
United Steel	21/10½	21/10½
Vickers, ord.	20/-	20/-
Woolworths	63/-	62/7½
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	28/4½	28/7½
Rubber Pltn. Invest.	29/7½	29/7½
MINES		
Burma Corp.	9/-	9/-
Commonwealth Min.	2/3	2/3
Marsman Invest.	12/6	12/6
Randfontein Ests.	36/10½	36/3
Sub-Nigel	231/3	232/6
Tanami Gold Min	6d.	6d.
Western Holdings	20/3	18/10½
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	103/1½	102/6
Burmah	91/3	90/-
Mexican Eagle	4/4½	4/3
Shell Trans. & Trad.	89/4½	89/4½

x—Corrected.

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£80	77XD
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	69	63
4½% Anglo-French Loan	97	97
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	50	50
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	60½	60
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	19	19
5% Honan Rly., 1905	31	31
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	28½	28½
5% ,, ,, (Ger. Is.)	27	27
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	18½	18½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	27	27
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	25	25
5% ,, ,, G.	24½	24½
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) B.	24½	24½
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) G.	24½	24½
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	22	22
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30½	30½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	12⅝	12½
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	87	87
,, ,, (Col. Reg.)	89	89
Chinese Eng. & Min.	15/9	15/9
Chosen Corp.	8/9	8/9
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/9	23/9

XD—Ex dividend. N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 1.

Weak conditions prevailed in the Liverpool wheat market today, while the London rubber market, after ruling steady, eased slightly in the absence of demand.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 7⅞ —⅛; sellers 7 15/16 —⅛; Oct. delivery, buyers 7⅞; sellers 8.

London Sugar (Buyers): December 5/5½ +1; March 5/6¼ —¼; May 5/7¼ —¼;

Liverpool Wheat: October 5/1⅛ —¾; December 4/10⅞ —¾; March 4/8¾ —⅝;

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: Oct. 4.64 —3; Jan. 4.72 —3; Mar. 4.75 —3; May 4.78 —3; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Sept. 6.62 —5; Oct. 6.62 —5; Nov. 6.62 —5; Jan. 6.89 —5;

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £40⅝ +¼; 3 mths sellers £40 13/16 +¼; Electrolytic, buyers £45¾ +¼; sellers £46¾ +¼; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £193 unch; 3 mths sellers £194 unch; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £14⅛ —¼; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 3/16 —⅛; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £12 3/16 —¼; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £13 3/16 —1/16.—Reuter

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, Sept. 1.

Reichsmark quotations without guarantee:

New York 40.085, Paris 1470.—, Amsterdam 73.50 to 73.60, London 12.1275.

Paris quoted sterling at 178.31 to 178.35 and the U.S. dollar at 36.70 to 36.71.—Trans-Ocean.

August Rubber Output

	lb.
Langkat	62,000
Shanghai-Sumatra	13,000

(Tapping for only half month)

Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, Sept. 2.

Kogo 5% Y.103.42
—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 1.

Stock prices on Wall Street today opened steady, but later eased on the weakness of rails, owing to the failure of mediation over the rail wage question. Though domestic news was generally favourable, traders were not inclined to enter into new commitments until after the holiday and pending a more definite clarification of the European political situation. Activity was consequently restricted and the turnover for the day small, amounting to only 510,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	139.45	137.65	138.36	—0.91
20 Rails	27.15	26.37	36.63	—0.78
15 Utilit.	19.40	19.11	19.25	—0.03
40 Bonds	——	——	88.07	—0.40
11 Commod.	——	——	47.65	—0.43

	Aug. 31	Sept. 1
Adams Express	11	10⅞
Alleghany Steel Co.	18	17½
Allis Chalmers	48¾	48¼
Amer. Can	98½	B 96½
Amer. & For. Power	3¾	3½
,, ,, $7 pfd.	B 17⅝	19
Amer. Locomotive	19	19¼
Amer. Metal	35⅛	34½
Amer. Radiator	15½	15
Amer. Rolling Mill	18¼	17½
Amer. Smelting	49	47¾
Amer. Sugar Refining	23⅞	22⅝
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	143	142½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	85⅞	85¼
Amer. Waterworks	9⅝	9⅝
Anaconda Copper	33⅝	32⅞
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	36	34¾
Auburn	B 3½	4
Baltimore & Ohio	7⅞	7⅜
Baltimore & Ohio 4% pfd.	9⅛	8⅝
Barber Asphalt Corp.	19½	19¼
Barnsdall Oil Co.	17⅜	17⅛
Bethlehem Steel	56¾	56¼
Boeing Airplane Co.	23½	23
Borg Warner	33	32
Briggs Mfg. Co.	34⅞	33¾
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	9½	9⅝
,, $6 cum. pfd.	28⅛	B 27
Can. Pacific Rly.	6¼	6
Case, J.I.	88⅛	86
Chase Nat. Bank	B 30⅝	B 30⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	29⅝	28½
Chrysler	72⅝	71¼
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6½	6⅜
,, ,, "A" pfd.	63⅞	64
Coml. Credit	49⅝	49¼
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅛	1¼
,, $6 cum. pfd.	37	B 36
Consolid. Edison	26⅛	26⅛
Cosolid. Oil	9⅛	8⅞
Continental Can	40⅛	39¾
Continental Oil	29⅞	*29¾
Corn Products	69⅛	69⅛
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5⅛	5
,, ,, "A"	21⅞	21½
Distillers Corp.	16¾	*15¾
Douglas Aircraft	45½	45⅛
Du Pont de Nemours	130⅝	130½
Eagle Picher Lead	10⅜	10
Elec. Bond & Sh.	7⅛	7⅛
,, ,, $5 pfd.	B 47	B 46
,, ,, $6 pfd.	54	53⅛
Elec. Power & Lt.	B 35⅛	B 34
Flintkote	22⅝	22¼
Gen. Amer. Trans.	49	48½
Gen. Elec.	41⅝	40¾
Gen. Motors	47⅛	46⅜
Gen. Rly. Signal	20⅝	19⅞
Glidden Co.	22	21⅛
Goodrich (B.F.)	23	22½
,, $5 pfd.	55	54½
Goodyear Tire & R.	27⅞	26⅞
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore.	12⅜	12¼
Great Nthrn. Rly.	20½	20
Great Western Sugar	26⅞	B 26¾
Greyhound Corp.	16½	16¼
Hecker Prods.	7⅛	7⅛
Int. Nickel	48⅛	47⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8⅜	8¼
Kennecott	39⅞	*39⅛
Libby-Owens-Ford	50⅞	50⅝
Lockheed Aircraft	13⅝	13⅜
Loew's Inc.	50⅜	49⅞
Macy, R.H.	47¼	46⅞
Manhattan Shirt Co.	B 13⅛	B 13⅛
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	22¼	21⅜
McKesson & Rob. $3 pfd	*B 33½	B 33¼
Monsanto Chemical	*B 94	94
Montgomery Ward	*45¾	45⅞
Nat. City Bank	B 24⅝	B 24¼
Nat. Dairy Prods.	*13⅛	13⅞
Nat. Distillers	24⅛	24
Nat. Power & Lt.	6¾	6⅜
Nat. Supply Co.	17¼	16¾
New York Central	18⅛	17⅝
North Amer. Aviation	9	9
North Amer.	19⅜	19¾
Northern Pacific	12⅛	11¼
Pacific Gas & Elec.	26	26
Pacific Lighting	36¾	35½
Packard Motors	4⅞	4⅞
Paramount Pictures Ind.	11	10⅞
Pennsylvania R.R.	19½	19
Phillips Petroleum	39½	38⅞
Public Serv. of N.J.	*28½	28⅛
Pure Oil	10¼	10⅛
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7½	7⅛
Republic Steel Co.	18	17⅞
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	41¾	41¾
Schenley	17½	17¼
,, 5½% pfd.	74	B 73½
Sears Roebuck	70⅞	70
Shell Union Oil	15⅞	B 15¼
Socony-Vacuum	13¾	13¾
Sthrn. Pacific	17¾	17
Sthrn. Rly.	18	17¼
Stand. Brands	7¼	7⅜
Stand. Gas & Elec.	3⅝	3½
Stand. Oil of N.J.	52¼	52
Stone & Webster	9½	9¼
Swift International	B 27	26¾
Technicolor	22⅛	22
Texas Gulf Sulphur	*35	34¾
Tw.-Century-Fox	26⅛	26½
,, ,, pfd.	B 33½	34
Un. Carbide & Carbon	81⅝	*81
Un. Pacific	88	*86½
Un. Aircraft (new)	26⅝	26¼
Un. Airline Trans.	8¾	8½
Un. Corp.	2½	2⅝
,, $3 pfd.	31	31
Un. Gas Corp.	3½	3½
United Gas Improvement	10	10
U. S. Rubber	44¼	43⅛
,, 8% pfd.	84¾	83¾
U. S. Steel	58⅛	57¼
Vanadium	18¼	18
Warner Bros. Picts.	6⅝	6½
Westinghouse Elec.	101¾	101½
Woodward Iron	18¼	18¼

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	51⅛	51½
Brazil	12⅛	12⅜
Cities Serv.	62¾	62
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	103	100
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s.	70	69½
New England Gas & Elec.	55½	55⅛
Peru 6s 1961	8½	8¾
Stand. Gas & Elec.	51⅛	51¼

B—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

On the Stock Exchange today rails were affected by the failure of mediation over the rail wage question. Activity in the market was restricted by the approach of the Labour Day holiday. Operators showed a tendency to hold aloof, pending Herr Hitler's Nuremberg speeches. Meanwhile, war fears have subsided both here and abroad, while the trend of the London Stock Exchange is becoming more normal. Favourable factors today included: construction awards moving higher; anticipations of carloadings touching a new high; and, the upward tendency of Bank Credits being noted. Unfavourable factors were: weakening of crude oil prices and further declines in Bank clearings.

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

European developments overshadowed all other factors on Wall Street, as good trade news was ignored during the current period under review. Prices on Monday suffered their most severe decline since March, when alarming reports from abroad caught the market in a vulnerable position. Losses ranged up to 5 points with volume expanding and selling frequently clogging the tickers. Slightly steadier conditions prevailed until just before the close, when a fresh burst of selling sent prices to the day's lows. Stocks responded to better foreign news on Tuesday, though activity was confined chiefly to professional operators. Although some of the previous day's losses were partially recovered, there was little follow-through buying. Wednesday's and Thursday's markets were narrowly irregular with trading again on a much reduced scale, as most operators preferred to remain on the sidelines pending the outcome of events abroad, and until after the Labour Day holiday.

Commodity prices, as gauged by the Dow-Jones Index, fluctuated in a very narrow range. Featureless but heavy conditions prevailed in wheat trading, both at Chicago and Winnipeg. In spite of Government subsidized exports, increasing competition from exporting countries is depressing sentiment. Corn sympathetically declined. The Government Cotton Loan terms were generally regarded as constructive, but the critical European situation and weakness of foreign markets, particularly London, unfavourably influenced Worth Street prices early in the week. Foreign dealers were the principal sellers of rubber, while large factory interests and shorts bought on the scale down. Encouraged by the small daily advances in London, sugar improved on commission house buying and the prompt stoppage of September notices.

Business developments were good. Stimulated by orders from the automobile industry, together with the prospects of several large-scale projects, steel operations rose to 44 per cent. of capacity. Partially explained by the accumulation of semi-finished products, to cover inventory depletion, August steel mill output gained approximately 25 per cent. over July. The scrap market has temporarily quietened down. Retail advertising showed an improvement, while Department Store inventories are estimated to be well below those of a year ago. Exports believe that the petroleum situation is better statistically, and a further drop in gasolene stocks appears to be imminent. Construction awards for August are the best recorded since 1930. The spottiness of major domestic agricultural commodities is unsettling; likewise, late reports of the failure of the railroad brotherhoods to reach an agreement over the wage reduction proposal depressed sentiment.

The market in figures:

	Aug. 25	Thursday Sept. 1	Change
D.-J. Average for 30 Industrials	144.07	138.36	down 5.71
D.-J. Average for 20 Rails	29.61	26.63	down 2.93
D.-J. Average for 15 Utilities	20.25	19.25	down 1.00
D.-J. Average for 40 Bonds	89.36	88.07	down 1.29
D.-J. 11 Commodity Index	48.02	47.65 Thursday	down .37

Commodity prices:

	Aug. 25	Sept. 1
Chicago wheat	64½	64⅜
Winnipeg wheat	65⅛	60¾
Corn	49¾	50¼
Cotton	8.24	8.23
Rubber	16.70	16.31
Hides	10.92	10.73
Sugar	1.05½	1.07½

Business:

	Previous	Latest
N.Y. Times Index	83.9	84.4
Steel Operations (% of capacity)	42.8	44.0
Carloadings (carloads)	590,000	598,000
Electric power prod. (k.w.hrs.)	*2,139,000	*2,134,000
Average Daily Oil prod. (bbls)	3,393,000	3,389,000
Automobile output (cars)	23,940	18,700

*000 omitted

Stock Outlook: Uncertainty over the international political situation and the recent failure of mediation in connection with the rail wage question cloud the near term market outlook. For many months the clue to the future trend has been provided by the rails. Decisive downside penetrative of the 27.57 resistance point by the Dow-Jones Rail averages on September 1 may be the forerunner of the long overdue technical reaction. A drop to the 120-133 area for Industrials would be indicated if they break through 136.21.

U.S. Commodities

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 1.

Traders in the cotton market were inclined to limit operations over the week-end, and were generally awaiting developments abroad. Prices early declined on Liverpool cables and a lower stock market, but later rallied on Liverpool and Bombay buying on differences, which readily absorbed liquidation. Finally, the market closed steady, with quotations ranging from unchanged to 1 point down.

Prices in the rubber market early eased in sumpathy with cables and commission house, Wall Street and local selling. Factories continued to buy. At the last call-over, losses of 15 to 20 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago opened steady on favourable London advices, but later partially reacted on scattered liquidation. At the final bell, losses of ⅝ to ¾ of a cent were registered.

The sugar market early advanced on trade and foreign buying, but later partially eased on profit-taking. At the close, quotations ranged from unchanged to a ½ point up.

Although the August statistics were about as expected and were considered to be very constructive, traders in the silk market were hesitant and reluctant, in view of the easiness of other markets. Closing quotations were from a ½ to 1½ points down.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
Oct.	8.23-23	unc.	Dec.	16.31-32	—19
Dec.	8.29-29	—01		B/A	
Jan.	8.28 N.	—01	Jan.	16.35 N	—19
Mar.	8.28-28	—01	Mar.	16.40-40	—20
May	8.27-27	—01	May	16.50-50	—15
July	8.24 N.	—01			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Mar.	1.07½-08	unc.	Sept.	1.69½-72	—1½
	B/A			B/A	

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Dec.	64⅜-64¼	—⅝	Dec.	50¼-50⅜	—1⅛
May	66⅜-66¼	—¾	May	51⅝-51¾	—1¼

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Oct.	60¾-60⅞	—1½	Sept.	42.30B	+20
Dec.	60¼-60⅜	1¼			

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, Sept. 1.

The share market opened today on a friendly note, the tendency to sell which had characterized the closing hours of yesterday having been overbalanced by small buying orders. The trend towards improvement was due partly to the fact that the international situation is showing signs of easing up and partly to the decreased demands for cash which always accompany the end of month. The upward trend affected practically all shares, improvements of between 1 and 2 points being general. Fixed interest securities were also firmer although trading was low.—Trans-Ocean.

Bank of France Returns

Paris, Sept. 1.

Gold reserves totalling 55,808,000,000 francs were shown in the returns issued today by the Bank of France for the week ended August 24, showing no change compared with the previous week.

The total note circulation was given as 99,065,000,000 francs, a decrease of 275,000,000 francs compared with last week.—Reuter.

U.S. Federal Reserve Returns

New York, Sept. 1.

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, in their report for the week ended August 31, respecting the entire body of reporting member banks of the system, reveal no change on bills bought as compared with the previous week, but show a decrease of $2,000,000 compared with the corresponding period of last year.

United States Securities held showed no change from last week, but registered an advance of $38,000,000 compared with the same time last year, while the Federal Reserve ratio lost 0.1 per cent. from last week but gained 2.9 per cent. over the corresponding period of last year.

Credit outstanding to the Federal Reserve showed a gain of $6,000,000, as compared with last week and the same time last year. Monetary gold stocks were higher by $56,000,000 from the previous week and by $568,000,000 from the corresponding period of last year.

Industrial advances by the Federal Reserve advanced by $37,000 from the previous week, but show a decline of $4,896,000 compared with the same period last year.

Bills bought during the period under review totalled $1,000,000; U. S. Securities held $2,564,000,000, while the Federal Reserve Ratio was placed at 82.4 per cent.

Credit outstanding to the Federal Reserve amounted to $2,585,000,000; monetary gold stocks $13,135,000,000 and industrial advances $15,889,000.—Reuter.

Bank of England Returns

London, Sept. 1.

The Bank of England statement for the week ended September 1, shows an increase in public deposits of £3,800,000 to £27,760,000, while other deposits were lower by £4,510,000 to £131,120,000.

Government securities were listed at £102,060,000, showing an increase of £150,000 over the previous week. Other securities totalled £27,700,000, including £5,370,000, on discounts and advances and £22,330,000, on securities.

Notes and coins amounted to £47,330,000, a decrease of £1,620,000, from the previous week's figure of £48,950,000, while total bullion increased by £110,000.

Notes in circulation totalled £480,430,000, registering an increase of £1,730,000 compared with last week's figure.

The proportion of reserve to liability was given at 29.78 per cent. compared 30.67 per cent. last week.—Reuter.

London Silver Market

London, Sept. 1.

Messrs. Mocatta and Goldsmid, in their weekly bullion letter, write:—

Forward Eastern selling has been a feature on the silver market during the past week and has resulted in an easier undertone.

Owing to the strength of the dollar, there has been a demand for shipment to America and the premium on spot delivery has consequently increased.

Stocks of silver in London at the end of the week totalled 4,000,000 ounces.—Reuter.

N.Y. Brokers' Loans

New York, Sept. 1.

Loans on security to brokers in New York by the reporting member banks of the Federal Reserve System, for the week ended August 31, totalled $561,000,000, a decrease of $610,000,000 from the corresponding week of last year.

Loans to brokers during the previous week totalled $507,000,000, or $54,000,000 lower than the amount recorded for the period under review.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Sept. 1.

Owing to less alarming reports regarding the European crisis, the Bourse opened firm here this morning.

During the session, the market remained around the opening levels despite lack of trading.

Towards the close, a light buying wave mostly affecting internationals resulted in the market closing strong, with substantial gains in some issues.—Havas.

Japan's Women Do Coolie Work

Mobilization of Waste Material Organized by Industry Ministry

Tokyo, Sept. 2.

Plans for the organized collection of waste iron, copper, aluminium and other materials usable for war purposes are being drafted by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

The prefectural authorities, the plans provide, are to sponsor regular "waste-collection weeks," while dealers in waste material are to be organized into corporations.

Private homes, factories, commercial firms and other businesses will be approached to sell their waste materials or idle stock, and measures will be taken to ensure smooth, speedy collection.

For the time being, the materials to be collected will be confined chiefly to iron, copper, aluminium, textiles and rubber.

A corporation capitalized at Y.2,000,000 is being established to handle the collection of waste iron. Waste copper and waste aluminium corporations are also to be established.

The prices at which waste materials are to be bought will be fixed by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.—Reuter.

Women to Serve as Coolies

Osaka, Sept. 2.

Found to be eighty per cent. as efficient as men, women coolies will be put to work on the railroads, the Osaka Railway Bureau announced here today.

With a ten per cent. decrease in the number of coolies since the outbreak of the China hostilities, coupled with a business boom, labourers' wages were raised from ten to thirty per cent. Yet the Bureau was faced with a labour shortage.

The direct incentive to the present plan to engage women workers is the result achieved by the Yonago Station authorities who recently engaged 20 women, who applied from patriotic motives. The Station Master was dubious, but the trial revealed the amazing fact that when used as coolies they are eighty per cent. as efficient as men.—Domei.

THE Central Police Training Institute in Chungking, which was reorganized in 1936, held a commemoration of the second anniversary of the event yesterday, states a dispatch to the "Sin Wan Pao." The commemoration meeting, it is stated, was presided over by the Minister of War, General Ho Ying-chin, and attended by over 1,000 representatives from various public offices and organizations. Following the meeting, says the report, the audience took part in a ceremony marking the laying of a cornerstone for the Chung-cheng Pavilion, to be erected by the officers and men in the institute in honour of its President, General Chiang Kaishek.

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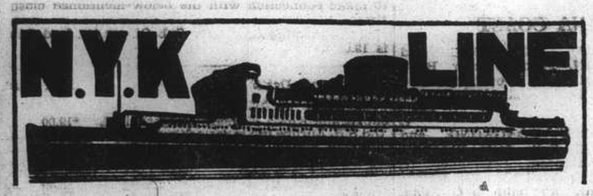

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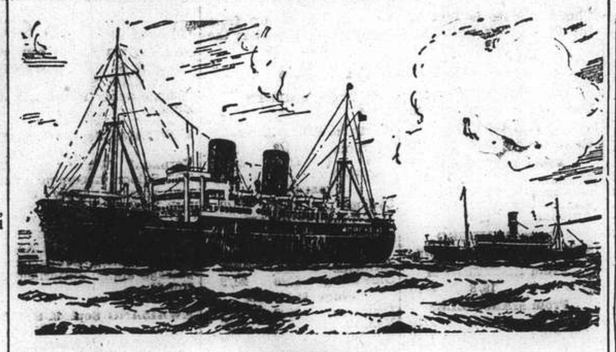

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Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From KOBENHAVN

Danmark	1/9	30/10

From GDYNIA

Protesilaus	23/8	13/10

From LIVERPOOL

Mentor	13/8	25/9
Memnon	20/8	29/9
Philoctetes	27/8	7/10
Antenor	3/9	13/10

From HAMBURG

Scharnhorst	6/8	9/9

From ROTTERDAM

Neumark	19/8	3/10

From MARSEILLES

Ranchi	3/9	2/10
Tai Ping	3/9	7/10

From TRIESTE

Volpi	20/7	12/9

From PORT SAID

Touraine	16/8	15/9
Java	29/8	28/9
Burdwan	1/9	3/10

From SUEZ

Cyclops	16/8	15/9

From BOMBAY

Rajputana	1/9	18/9

From PENANG

Patroclus	2/9	13/9
Oldenburg	30/8	23/9

From MANILA

Deucalion	29/8	6/9
Nankin	1/9	7/9
Burgenland	1/9	7/9

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From VANCOUVER

Talthybius	3/9	28/9

From NEW YORK

Tourcoing	23/7	11/9
Mar. Maersk	10/8	25/9

From SAVANNAH

Adrastus	31/8	16/10

From LOS ANGELES

Eurymedon	17/8	16/9

From KOBE

Bhutan	1/9	5/9

From MIIKE

Ixion	21/8	5/9

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From DURBAN

Boissevain	23/8	25/9

From MELBOURNE

Nellore	3/9	9/10

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN

Hoten M.	—	4/9
Dairen M.	—	7/9

From TIENTSIN

Norviken	—	4/9
Hunan	1/9	4/9
Fausang	—	6/9
Kwaisang	—	7/9
Shuntien	5/9	8/9

From TSINGTAO

Sarpedon	29/8	17/9

From AMOY

Chungking	27/8	3/9
Tjisadane	2/9	4/9

From HONGKONG

Sandviken	—	4/9
Shantung	31/8	4/9
Carthage	1/9	4/9
Soudan	1/9	4/9
Tingsang	—	5/9
Kwangtung	2/9	6/9
Fooshing	—	8/9

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

SHENGKING Sept. 3. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, September 3, at 10 a.m. Calls at Tsingtao for passengers only. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 3-9

WINGSANG Sept. 3. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Saturday, September 3, at 5 p.m. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available: Tender for passengers leaves Customs Jetty 9 a.m., 10 a.m., noon and 4 p.m. Saturday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 3-9

LEESANG Sept. 4. CHEFOO.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, September 4, at daylight. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 3-9

CHUNGKING Sept. 6. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Tuesday, September 6, at 8 a.m. For freight apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 5-9

HUNAN Sept. 6. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Tuesday, September 6, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-9

SANDVIKEN Sept. 6. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 6, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 6-9

FAUSANG Sept. 8. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, September 8. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-9

SOUTH CHINA COAST

TAISEUNHONG Sept. 3. HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, September 3, at 9 a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 3-9

SINKIANG Sept. 4. CHUANCHOW, AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Sunday, September 4, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 3-9

NORVIKEN Sept. 6. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 6, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 6-9

Vessels Leaving

SOUTH CHINA COAST

SHANTUNG Sept. 6. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Tuesday, September 6, at 8 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 5-9

TINGSANG Sept. 7. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, September 7. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 7-9

TSINAN Sept. 7. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Wednesday, September 7, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-9

KWAISANG Sept. 8. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, September 8. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-9

TJISADANE Sept. 8. AMOY, HONGKONG, MANILA, CEBU, MACASSAR, BALI, SOERABAIA and JAVA N.C.—The J.C.J.L. ms. Tjisadane sails on Thursday, September 8, at 11 a.m. from Holt's Wharf, Pootung, taking cargo to all ports in the Netherlands Indies. Passenger tender leaves from Customs Jetty on Thursday, at 9.30 a.m. Excellent passenger accommodation. Through tickets issued to European, Australian and African Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 7-9

KWANGTUNG Sept. 9. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. From French Bund on Friday, September 9, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-9

JAPAN

CARTHAGE Sept. 5. KOBE and YOKOHAMA.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 5-9

STRAITS AND EUROPE

AGAMEMNON Sept. 3. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW via ADEN.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 3-9

BHUTAN Sept. 6. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 6-9

ZUIDERKERK Sept. 7. (Loading on Sept. 6.) ADEN, PORT-SUDAN, PORT SAID, GENOA, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN.—The Holland East Asia Line s.s. Zuiderkerk sails from Shanghai on September 7. For passage and freight apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., General Agents, Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 7-9

LEVERKUSEN Sept. 11. GENOA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—The mv. Leverkusen, (Captain A. Bretschneider), sails for above ports on September 11, 1938. For freight and passage please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Conton Road Tel. 18709. 11-9

GLENSHIEL Sept. 12. CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 12-9

TALABOT Sept. 12. CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and OSLO via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE and PORT SAID.—Motor vessel Talabot of the Wilhelmsen Lines will be despatched from Shanghai on September 12, for the abovementioned ports. Through Bills of Lading issued for all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. For freight or passage please apply to Dodwell and Company, Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11366. 12-9

CHITRAL Sept. 13. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 13-9

MARECHAL JOFFRE Sept. 15. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 15-9

REGENSBURG Sept. 19. MALTA, MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General-Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 19-9

NAGARA Sept. 25. ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s m.s. Nagara will leave Shanghai on or about September 25, for the above mentioned ports. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bills of Lading. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 25-9

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Post Office Notices

Earlier posting in Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.
(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

Date and Destination	Per	Reg.	Ord.
SATURDAY, Sept. 3.			
Japan and Korea Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	*19.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shengking	*19.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shengking	*20.00	7.30
Tsingtao and Dairen	Tsingtao M.	8.00	8.30
Wenchow	Don Luis	12.30	13.00
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Wingsang	13.30	14.00
Ningpo	Nanning	13.30	14.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez and Europe via Suez	Agamemnon	10.30	12.30
Hongkong and Canton	Agamemnon	12.00	12.30
Ningpo	H. Tseangtah	15.30	16.00
Nanking and Wuhu	Tangyang M. B	—	—
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Fuhwo	16.30	17.00
Haimen Che.	M. Francisca	17.30	18.00
Chefoo	Leesang	18.30	19.00
Amoy Hongkong Canton	Sinkiang	18.30	19.00
SUNDAY, Sept. 4.			
Japan Korea Canada U.S.A. Europe via Pacific	E. of Russia C	10.00	10.00
MONDAY, Sept. 5.			
Formosa via Keelung	Canton M.	*19.00	7.30
Haimen Che.	Santarem	11.30	12.00
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Chungking	18.30	19.00
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Shantung	18.30	19.00

* The night before.
B Parcel mail for Nanking and Wuhu, closes at 16.00 on 3rd.
C Parcel mail for U.S.A., Canada and Europe, closes at 16.00 on 3rd.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin or Chinwangtao for transmission.
Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—
ss. Agamemnon, via Suez, September 3, due London October 7.
ss. Empress of Russia, via Pacific, September 4, due London September 30.
ss. Bhutan, via Suez, September 6, due London October 9.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Agamemnon, at 12.30 on September 3, and due Rome on September 14, and London on September 15.
Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Agamemnon, at 12.30 on Sept, 3, and due San Francisco, on September 14.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Agamemnon, at 12.30 on September 3, and due Amsterdam on September 18, and London on September 19.
Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per available steamer to Hongkong for transmission to Saigon.
Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service:—Air mails will close thrice a week. For time of closing enquiry may be made at the counter.
Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for or via Pengpu, Wuhu, Hangchow and N.S.R. close daily at 8.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports beyong Kiukiang per available steamer via Canton.

Vessels Leaving (cont.)

AUSTRALASIA

TAIPING Sept. 13. (From Hongkong) MANILA, THURSDAY I., CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.—Australian-Oriental Line Ltd., Agents, Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 13-9

Vessels Discharging

JAVANESE PRINCE. The m.v. Javanese Prince, from New York and Ports.—This vessel is now discharging all her cargo (except Opium and Munitions of War), at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Hongkew Wharf, Hongkew. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their cargo, (Consignees of "Bulk Cargo, will further be required to send their representat